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TEMPERATURE IS BELOW

CAUSED BY TYPHOON.

ing the Weck-end some people have. maintained that the temperature must, have been a "record."

ing are the facts.

mean temperatures are about the same as in July.

vatory was 91 degrees at 2 p.m., this being the maximum for the ' week-eñd.

The Colony has experienced 92 constable.

buted the local 'heat wave."

beyond Luzon Island. ther intelligence is waited.

TYPHOON NEWS.

POSITION.

report to-day. Typhoon in Lat. 18 N. Long.

tion uncertain.

moderately at Tokyo and slightly over S. China and the Philippines. The northern typhoon is now al

or 119 E.

morrow: West or variable winds, cision was given.

SEQUEL: DISCOVERY IN

ANOTHER SEIZURE.

ing case has had a sequel, a similar seizure being made on Saturday in

that could be fitted together.

very elaborate. being subsequently released on that the youth went to have a wash

ARMED MEN.

RECORD. POLICE.

Highest Figure During the Week-End.

Sweltering in the hot sun dur-

Such is not the case. Opinions may differ as to what constitutes? a local heat wave but the follow-

August is the hottest month of

On Sunday the highest tempera-

Sunday Hotter.

made inquiries was courteously the fact that he was dressed only furthermore be kept in the dark; figures. Sunday was hotter than were then stated to have prodded. The authorities some time ago strongly rooted. Saturday.

August 19, 1900.

libe described as "in the shade."

o Typhoons to Blame.

it is that when a typhoon "misses" collect the debt.

LATEST WARNINGS AND

The following typhoon warning appears in the mid-day weather

118 E., direction unknown, posi-Pressure Had decreased considerably at Shanghai and moder-

few miles west of Shanghai, moying northward.

motion of the southern typhoon is estate and not against his wife or and then I went down. When I they deem it advisable and aduncertain. The deduced position children, explained the Puisne reached the road, the Indian was vocating the strengthening of the The reference in our corresis Lat. 18 or 19 N. and Long. 118 Judge (Mr. Justice J. R. Wood) to nowhere to be seen; and as the General Council's hands by divers pondent's letter to the need of

moderate; fine to cloudy. That | Sing Kee of No. 221, Hollywood I am sure that any one who operative Societies in order that the then Director of Public Works for Hongkong to Lamocks, and Road sued Cheong Kee and Li learns of this will naturally feel ample food supplies may be of Hongkong in November, 1920 Formosa Channel, is: - S.W. Poon Shi of No. 225, Hollywood very indignant, like I have felt readily available in time of (contained in the 1922 report winds moderate.

a.m. to-day were: Barometer note. 29.49; temperature 82, humidity; 90; wind force 1, direction W.N.W.; weather b m.

CANNON CASE.

MACAO.

Hongkong's cannon manufactur-

Detectives in the Portuguese to the police yesterday morning. Colony raided an "iron shop" and . The body was that of a Chinese are stated to have found a field boy of about 14 years of age, riece, which was in several parts found, floating in Pokfulam Re- water.

ALLEGED HOLD UP OF

TWO MEN-IN COURT.

Evidence of how two Chinese members of the Labour Maintenance Bureau escaped from police the pumping-station at Pokfulam constables by drawing their re- was destroyed, and yet most of us volvers was given before Mr. resident on Robinson and Conduit

at about 10 p.m. on August 10 such a thing? They said that in that labour unity emerged from and again after a midnight to- two weeks time there would be no the test of May, actually an employee in regard to a mah the breakdown, but they must

and had since run away, enlisted shocking language.

Saturday.

ately at Chefoo! It has increased DEAD MAN'S DEBTS.

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the woman to have done so and gave judgment in her favour.

STRANGE DEATH. CORPSE FLOATING IN A RESERVOIR.

A corpse floating in a reservoir such is the startling discovery made servoir, by. a. caretaker.

The mechanism is described as Relatives are stated to have identhe insertion of this letter. tified decensed. Foul play is not Three men were arrested one suspected, the presumption being or swim, and was drowned.

WATER GROUSE.

ALLEGED INCIDENT ON UPPER LEVEL.

SUPPLY: AND CONTROL,

To the Editor of the "China Mail."] Sir,—It has been a month since E. Lindsell at the Central Roads, are not getting even one Magistracy this morning when drop of water from the house-the men were charged with as hold taps. One month—and the saulting an employee of a fire-condition is still the same

ture recorded at the Royal Obser- gether with another man, to see more inconvenience on account of strengthened jong debt. Witness "said that have forgotten to look at the! when he told Chan Min that the calendar. If there is a tolerable!" employee was not in the shop he reason for this delay, which I Trade Union Congress, to be open-Sir Maurice Fitzmaurice when was selzed by the other man and think is quite unnecessary and in-A "China Mail" reporter who put through a search in spite of excusable, I pray that we shall not 6, shows that among a fairly wide informed by Mr. T. F. Claxton, in a singlet, and short pants, and I shall be ready to grow

thim with revolvers until he man- did a thing for which we were The record for August, and for aged to break away and escape then quite thankful. The extra been lodged. The National any smonth, is 97 degrees, on into a faundry shop which later expenses incurred by every house. Amalgamated Furnishing trades Enoch," was engaged on the work. received a visit from a Chinese holder in paying coolies to fetch demand a maximum forty-four This dredger was afterwards put water from nullahs and such hour week in all trades. degrees on other occasions. The constable, in evidence, places were lessened by the national minimum wage of £3 These, of course, are official said he was held up on the way authorities sending men to cer-sought by the National Union of figures, registered in the shade. to the Police Station by his pri- tain places where they connected Clerks, The Boilermakers and Residents who keep thermo-soner, the first defendant, who fountains to street mains, thereby, Iron Shipbuilders Society submit meters in open verandahs may drew his revolver and said he making it easier for the people to a motion for the introduction of claim to have seen over 100 de- was a constable himself. Wit- get water." For the last few days, decimal coinage and metric grees But such figures can hardly ness blew his whistle for assist- the period during which water weights and measures. ance and it was stated that an may be obtained in this wise has To the typhoon which passed to other constable who appeared was been shortened at many places, the N.N.E. of Hongkong is attri-threatened by the second man with After three quarters of an hour or

with the taps on their shoulders, of the Miners Federation while the firm of Code, Fitzmaurice, This cyclone is not the one The complainant having made a Still, no one has grumbled against the complete absence of the name Wilson and Mitchell, issued in which was reported on Friday and denial in court that he knew the it; and I would not have hastened of the National Union of Railway- 1922. Saturday to be filling up near the two defendants. Divisional Inspec- with this letter, had I not witness- men from the section of the In the course of this report the Paracels but the other one which tor Grant suggested that witness's ed the disgraceful behaviour of a agenda relating to the extension firm mentioned recalls the attencame into the China Sea from reluctance to identify the men was police officer, trying to prevent of the powers of the General tion of the Hongkong Government, further out in the Pacific Ocean, because of fear and also that he the poor, unknowing coolies and Council may also be regarded as to the fact that seventeen years had been got at. It was further amahs from obtaining and water, significant. Yesterday this typhoon entered suggested that Chan Min, who by scaring then away with Early in the proceedings the shoaling in the Harbour, having These who deal with us may be

fore eleven, I chanced to be in one of sectional "or group organisa- stated that "it is of great importthe Colony we usually get a period His Worship remarked that it of the houses behind the Jewish tions fighting for their rights is ance that the question which has of hot weather. Cyclones which was a very serious affair for the Club and synagogue, on Robinson out-of-date. This point of view been raised with regard to the go to the East, or North-East, of desendants to use their revolvers Road. About fifteen minutes is reinforced by the more power silting should be carefully con-Hongkong, start from the Equa- and resist the police when they after the tap was fixed, an Indian ful National Union of Distribu- sidered and thoroughly investor, bringing the hot winds should be of assistance to them, constable came along and stopped tive and Allied Workers which tigated." The report went on to along with them and thereby The first defendant was sentenced everybody from getting the would urge the General Council, recommend that a very complete causing the heat in adjoining to six months' hard labour. In the smallest drop of water, by turn- "in view of the lessons arising out survey of certain portions of the case of the 'second defendant, ing off the tap as tightly as he of the General Strike" to reconsi- Harbour should be carried out. who claimed to have taken no part could, with the result that several, der its decision of last February "We do not consider it possible in the assault or to have gone disappointed, were forced to go not to seek further powers from or necessary," continued the rewith the first defendant towards away. One coolie, however, suc- the affiliated organisations. the Police Station, a short ad-ceeded in turning on the tap journment was made to enable a again, but he did not obtain any-

the Indian that the latter kicked Union whose members have on instance, the whole area of the On the men being brought in him away. I watched him for the whole, probably suffered re- harbour, amounting to 643 acres, again. His Worship said he pro- over twenty minutes, thinking latively by the trade depression, is divided up into squares, the posed to suspend the sentence on all the time that he was just more than any other industry, length of whose sides is 200 feet the first defendant pending fur-playing. But I suddenly realised have tabled a composite motion and a continuous record of the ther inquiries and remanded both that he had no right to stop instructing the General Council to amount of shoaling and dredging men on bail until 11 a.m. on people from getting what they take over all trade disputes in an in each square is recorded. If needed (they were not wasting early stage and use all the re- standard lines at much greater water), and I wanted to go down sources of the whole trade union intervals were laid out in the and make him understand the movement in the effort to force a Western portion of Hongkong situation. Before I could leave solution satisfactory to the work- Harbour, it should be sufficient. the verandah, I heard proceeding ers. Several other organisations for immediate requirements.... from the Indian's tongue the strike a similar note, adhering to In addition to taking soundings on most dreadful and indecent lan- the policy of the General Council fixed lines, observations of curguage in Chinese." I shouted to having all power to call a gradual, rents, and possibly occasional bor-The position and direction of claim against the dead man's him asking him to be quiet, partial or complete stoppage when ings, should be made." a plaintiff at the Summary Court coolies were not disturbed any means not the least important of dredging in Hongkong, as express-

him and start an argument. Read for, \$114, principal and in- and am feeling. I write this so trouble. Meteorological readings at 6 terest due under a borrowing that the police authorities, if they see it, will see to the Indian get-Defendant was a woman whose ting what they think he deserves. Reaction is apparent in but one "The letter is as follows:—
"The large number of reclamahusband was dead and she had To enable them to trace the man, resolution, viz.; that of the Na- tions completed, in progress for been paying interest at the rate of I will tell them that the constable tional Association of Plasterers, proposed will no doubt make their His Lordship remarked that loud, sonorous tone; and as they ed unions be asked to strike, causing some alterations, and it there was no legal obligation for already know the time, it will be due time shall be allowed for the is important that a proper har-

> see to an early completion of re- Amalgamated Society of Wood- staff of the Public Works Departpairs with regard to pipes, and so workers that workers cannot ment should be increased by the en, so that we may be able to have avoid the use of mass industrial addition of one senior man, accusa usual water supply before long, action and a demand that the tomed to keeping records of I think it is most disencouraging, General Council shall continuous—soundings, current observations when the reservoirs are all so full, ly attempt to expedite union and other different matters which to have become victims of this amalgamations. - Reuter. (by form the history of a harbour, and 'dog-in-a-manger" like, lack, of mail).

Yours, etc., "DISCOMFORTED." Hongkong, August 13.

I thank you, in anticipation, for

T. U. CONGRESS.

BRITISH UNIONS NOT TIRED OF STRIKES.

LABOUR NOW STRONGER.

London, July 21. The general strike in May is not to be the last or alternatively, if it should prove to be the last, that will not be because organised industrial "lubour has been convinced by its momentous" ex periment of the futility of the

as general strike weapoñ. wood shop at No. 16. Belcher when it began! Such a thing Many leaders of labour, not to cannot be. I do not want to mention a manifesto issued with In the course of his evidence criticise the authorities-they the authority of the General the Hongkong year although the complainant said that a man have received much of late—but Council of the Trade Union Connamed Chan Min came to his shop cannot they see the reflection of gress, have recently proclaimed

This Year's Programme.

The programme of the annual ed at Bournemouth on September he was in Hongkong? diversity of industries a belief in the efficacy of an all-powerful Tower having been dredged "some." Director, that according to the The two men charged in the case humbler and tender an apology. Isbour General Staff, is still

Only sixty-six motions have

Miners Remain Quiet.

One Control for Strikes. witness to be summoned by tele-thing, for his action so disgusted The Amalgamated Engineering other harbours. At Colombo, for Local forecast until noon to- this morning against whom a de- more I decided not to go after which is a closer alliance between ed by Sir William Fitzmaurice, is the trade unions and the Co-contained in a letter written to

Other Views.

TO-DAY'S DOLLAR.

on demand to-day was 2/1 15/16 recommendations into operation.

HARBOUR SILTING.

NEED FOR A COMPLETE SURVEY.

A REPORT IGNORED?

Govt. And Sir W. Fitzmaurice's Recommendations.

[To the Editor of the "China Mail."] Sir, - In your editorial on Saturday you stressed the need for a realisation on the 'part of the Government of the necessity of carrying out dredging operaions in view of the grounding of two steamers within a fortnight. As one interested in shipping

and with the Colony's welfare at heart I would like to know when the Government intend putting nto force recommendations on shoaling in the Harbour made as long ago as 1905 by the firm of Code, Eitzmaurice, Wilson and Mitchell and re-iterated in 1920 by

Incidentally, the papers have referred to the shoal off the Clock time previously." I think I am right in stating that "some time" previously" was 1948 when the out of action during a typhoon and was never in commission

ENQUIRER.6 Hongkong, August 16. "

"OF GREAT IMPORT;"

Yours, etc.,

The report to which our corres-It is remarkable that not a pondent refers is that on Honghis revolver and both made their so the coolies simply walked away single motion stands in the name kong Harbour Improvements by

the coast near Foochow and fur- lived next door to the complainant threats, and using the most National Laundry Workers Union gone into the question very fully, will move a resolution expressing obtained much information from Mr. Claxton also explained how the aid of the two defendants to Yesterday morning, a little be- the belief, inter alia, that the time the Admiralty on the subject and

> port, "to make observations in Hongkong Harbour, at such close intervals as are adopted in some

Sir William's View.

from which extracts have been given). The letter is as follows: had two stripes and spoke with a which asks that before all affiliat- influence felt in the future by an easy job to find out who was on matter to be fully discussed for bour survey on standard lines, duty around that part at that the whole of the unions affiliated permanently marked, should be to take a ballot of their members. completed so that comparisons Meanwhile, I hope that the Following this, however, is an may be made from time to time. authorities will do their best to expression of opinion by the I would like to suggest that the a junior man who would assist

him and be an understudy." It would be interesting to know what is the Government's attitude with regard to these views of a recognised expert and whether it The closing rate of the dollar, ever intends to put any of his

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NO REDUCTION OF OUTPUT.

BRITISH HOLD ALOOF.

Paris, Aug. 14. The French, German, Belgian, and Luxemburg metal industry groups have issued a draft Convention to which the adhesion of two of the parties concerned, fungus at Auckland, wishes to get which is at present withheld, is in touch with a firm desiring to do regarded as certain.

The Convention does not antihave been arranged, and the pro- | ber). posed output will be greater than in recent years.

gulation of specialised industries. "Zircons," etc. A quota production has also Slovakia. Poland, and certain Austrian industries manuracturing hardware goods.

tish representatives have been kept informed throughout the course of the negotiations. concludes: "There are special economic reasons obliging British industrialists to hold aloof temporarily from this Continental combination."—Reuter.

LOCAL IMPORTS.

CHAMBER'S FORTNIGHTLY ITPORT:

In the fortnightly report of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce the following remarks are taken from the chapter on imports:-

Hongkong, Aug. 13. liveries. Both Eg. Sakel, and with Chamber),

tively.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts FIXED DEPOSITS received for 1 year No. 20s. \$180, 185. Messrs. Marunaka Co., of Otaru, prices were on the easy side, Greys Arrivals 6,200 bales. ments nil. Sales 750 bales. Un-

8,500 bales. Woollens: Nothing doing, mar-

ket dead∂ Raw Cottons: No sales to re-

Metals: Further rises have been recorded in Tin-plates and Lead but other prices are unchanged. Market remains stag-

Flour Market Report: Stocks: About 300,000. Market: Quiet.

Quotations: American Patent, American sack: FORMOSA: - Giran, Kagi, Karenko, Straight, \$3.55 per sack; American Cut off, \$3.55 per sack; Australian No. 1, \$3.70 per sack; |Canadian Cut off, \$2.95 per sack; Canadian Straight, \$3.08 per sack: Canadian Mixture, \$3.00 per sack: Canadian Second Clear. \$2.90 per sack (nominal).

Sundries "(Window Glass) Market dull. Local stocks heavy. Sugar: Market steady. Saltpetre: Stocks 11,000 bags, Business entirely stopped owing

to the heavy drop in exchange. Washington, August 2.-France o-day paid \$10,000,000 cash to the United States as interest on the war

supplies debt.

dealers held in the Chinese City. than 200 merchants, it was resolved that | producing trees to the reserve. all rice hongs should hang out a board stating the price of rice being charged by that shop. The meeting also decided that the price Reservo Fund \$ 9,829,425.24 of rice should be fixed daily by the Rice Guild and published in the newspapers. ..

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COMMERCIAL INQUIRIES FOR HONGKONG.

CHAMBER'S LIST.

Commercial inquiries, published by the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce on August 13, comprise the following:-Mr. Leslie McCartney, export of

business in this commodity. The East India Produce Co., 27 cipate the likelihood of a restric- Leadenhall Street, London, E.C.3. tion in output, but rather the in- desire to get in touch with extroduction of regulations for a porters and manufacturers of bad more reasonable distribution of | pig grease, in or through Hongproduction: Quotas of production kong. (Particulars with Cham-

Mr. M. H. M. Noordeen (gem) merchant), 17, New Moor Street, An agreement has also been Colombo, is anxious to get in tou h reached on the question of the re- with firms in Hongkong dealing in

been arranged for Czecho- 1.td., Inc., of Portland, wish to get seven months yielded 19,132,000 a raid on a road house, in comwith an outlet for distribution of period of 1925. Le Matin states that the Bri- jell powder, canned roasted coffee A decree raises the Customs the story, but her suspicions were

> Mesars, C. I. Tibiletti, 108, West Juan Linn Street, Victoria, Texas, facturers of leather goods, and novelties, fibre, trunks, silk shirts, cork hats, etc.

Mr. Ernest M. Singer, Hamburg cheese. 8. Gröningerstr, 6, ia desirous to get in touch with first class firms interested in the importation of chemicals, piece goods and general Reuter.

Messrs, Campe & Co.: Oberursel s.T. bei: Frankfurt a.M. (Germany) desire to get into communication with reliable firms interested in import and export business with Germany.

Messrs: Idris & Co., Ltd., Pratt . Cotton Piece Goods and Fancy Street, Camden. Town, London, Shanghai for the past week Messry. Cotton Goods: Market still re- N.W.L. desire to appoint an agent, Hbert & Co. state :mains at a complete standstill in Horgkong for mineral waters, with no improvement in de- lime juice cordial, etc. (Price list week with business practically at

Mid. Amer. Cotton prices show a Messrs. J. G. de Coninck & Fils, our last issue gontinues unabated marked decline, the latest quota- 13, Rue du Convent, Anners, are and the long absence of rain is partions being those of the 12th inst. desirous of making business con-ticularly felt in the country districts, 15.60d and 9.36 "spot" respections with firms interested in whose only means of communicavarnish, paint, etc.

Cotton Yarn: During the fort- Messrs. Carnegie & Co., Embong many of which are already dried up. night under review the demand Malang, 47, Socrabaia, desire to get Fears are also expressed for the has slacked off and only a few in touch with exporters handling autumn crops and prayers for rain hundred bales changed hands at goods suitable for the Dutch East are universal. approximately the previous rates. Indian market, viz:-woollens, At the auctions little interest was Quotations are purely nomin- cotton-goods, lace, underwear, shown and with an absence of buyal:-No 10s, \$150 168. No. 12s, china-ware, soaps, stationery, etc. ing orders from the north and only

Ship- Japan, desire to get into touch with importers of onions and potatoes sold stock 5,000 bales. Bargains from Japan. (Particulars with graphic advices from Manchester Chamber).

> The Gomei Kaisha Kanda Shoten of Osaka, desire to get into touch with dealers in trocas shell and brought to book for China. other shells.

Messrs. Yussoof Abdool Aziz & ket quiet with prices slightly lower Co., No. 15-88 30th Street, Rangoon, wish to get in touch with manufac- brought to our notice in:-7-lb.turers and exporters of arsenic.

Fenchurch Street, London, E.C.3., export merchant house, desire to D.D.D. at Tls. 8.75. get in touch with a firm in Hongkong willing to act as their sole representatives on an inclusive commission basis. (Particulars Flower No. 120 at Tls. 9:60, Small with Chamber)

Tokyo, July 13.-The Mitsui companies have just established a revolving credit of 1,000,000 yen for the Soviet Purchasing Agency o the Russian Embassy here, according to unofficial information. The credit will continue eight months and is expected to result in business amounting to several million yen.

Ottawa, July 9.-Canada is spend ing \$1,000,000 a year to preserve its timber supply, according to a report issued by Charles Stewart Minister of the Interior. Forest reserves of 22,000,000 acres have already been set aside, the minister states, and it is planned to add all l non-agricultural land capable of

The Hague, July 29.—The Algemeene handelsblad at Amsterdam. in an article on the petroleum question, states that the Government are taking rapid steps to investigate and complete the agreement with the Nederlandsche Koloniale Petroleum "Maatschappij, a subsidiary of the Standard Oil Company, with regard to the operations and concessions of oil-fields.

The Calcutta "Statesman" understands that a number of prominent Indian business men will be invited to join the board of the new Dunlop Company in India. At least the leading British motor firm proposes. forming an Indian Company operating throughout India from Calcutta. An efficient service of stations with factory trained mechanics will be available in the various centres.

LOCAL EXPORTS.

CHAMBER'S FORTNIGHTLY REPORT.

In the fortnightly report of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, the following remarks are taken from the chapter on exports:--"

Hongkong, Aug. 18, Bristles: Dull. Cassia (Canton and Kwangsi):

Market firm.

Feathers: Market firm. Yunnan Tin: No stocks available on account to breakdown of railway through inundation Tongking,

[No remarks on other commodities.]

FRENCH REVENUE.

CUSTOM DUTIES NOW HIGHER. ..

Paris, Aug. 15. Messrs. John G. Barnett Co.. French revenue for the first bands had been arrested during into communication with importers francs, showing an excess of pany with chorus girls. The wife or brokers who can supply them 3.639.999 on the corresponding of the third was relieved that her

and candy, into Hongkong, Shang- duties by 30 per cent. with a num- aroused, nevertheless. When she hai, Canton, Singapore, Kobe, Tien- ber of exemptions, particularly on returned home her husband was tsin, "Tokyo, Dairen, Manila and paper for newspaper making .--Paris, Aug. 157

The new decree increases the desire to get into touch with manu- Customs duties by thirty per cent., except tobaccos, newsprint, lable—and it went on. cellulose used in the manufacture of sausages, and certain humorous Another decree authorises

duty on various mineral oils.-

forty-five franc per hectolitre

SHANGHAI TRADE CO.'S REPORT.

Shanghai, August 9. In their report on the trade of

. We have again to record a dulstandstill. The heat referred to in tion is by the smaller waterway

CURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and \$155, 170. No. 16s. \$170/175. (Full particulars with Chamber). small support from other areas, falling about two mace and Whites about one mace per piece. Teleindicate a slightly firmer market, but only a few small lines Fancies are reported as being

Grey Shirtings Generally-Marthan last week. Business has been, Blue Cock at Tls. 2.55: 10-lb.-Messrs. S. N. Hadley & Co., 149, Rabbit & Moon at Tls. 6.60: 12-lb. 36-inch.-Red Cock & Soldier

White Shirtings-We hear of the following sales:--Blue Round Dragon at Tls. 11.40, Women & Red Dog at T1s. 9.40, Nine Gold Tai at Tls. 9.25. Blue Round Stag at Tls. 9.00, and Fireworks at Tls. 5.70.

Cotton-The New York market for October delivery has fallen 59 points on the week due "to more favourable weather reports and aggressive selling. Bombay rates are as follows:-F. G. Bengal, Dec. Jan. Rs. 271, F. Oomra, Dec./Jan., 318, and F. G. Broach, July/August,

On the local Exchange prices in the earlier part of the week were steady to firm but later declined in sympathy with New York advices and local bulls covering.

Shensi, 11,600 bales Tungchow, and 150 bales Ningpo. Quotations are as follows: Tungchow Tls. 33.50, Shanghai Tls. 32.50, Shensi Tls. 32.50, ex mill and

Arrivals include: -6,200 bales

Ningpö Tls. 29.60 ex godown. "Yarn:-Sales are reported 9,900 bales spot for Canton, Hankow and Newchwang. On the the train had broken in two. exchange 16's Man and Bell on the 5th instant were quoted at Tls. 141.50 for August delivery.

Auction sales for the week ending August 5 were:-

English Drills English Jeans English Sheetings American Sheetings Camlets Long Ells Lastings Spanish Stripes Turkey Reds Fig. Cot. Lastings Blk. Cot. Italians Venetians

WORLD THEATRE.

MEN LEAVE HOME."

comedy success by Avery Hop- Kowloon:wood, will be screened at the morrow.

leaving their connubial slaves behind.

Whilst sipping their iced drinks on the verandah of a seaside hotel, they would take turns at guessing what their respective husbands were doing. None of follows:-them suspected that their lesser halves might also be seeking amusement and diversion.

. But one day a newspaper fel into their hands. Two of the hushusband's name did not appear in not "there. . Several hours later he arrived, and to her horror the mate in whom she had placed so much reliance was reeking with perfume. That started the trou-

This is but one of many situations in the Among the playproduction. lers are Lewis Stone, Helene Chadwick. Alma. Hedda Hopper, Mary Carr, William V. Mong, Sidney Bracy, Lila Leslie, E. H. Calvert, and Howard Truesdell: 😘

AT THE QUEEN'S.

"A THIEF IN PARADISE."

George Fitzmaurice's "A Thier n Paradise." a really fine picture is being screened to-day and tomorrow at the Queen's Theatre. To The story, an adaptation by Frances Marion of Leonard Merrick's novel "The Worldlings, opens with a vivid episode in the pearl fisheries of the China Coast and progresses swiftly to San Francisco, Burlingame and Del Monte, California. It is the story of a man whom Fate has made a failure, and who seizes the opportunity to masquerade as another man in one last effort to regain his self-respect. His accomplice in the impersonation is a Eurasian girl, who falls in love with him and stops at nothing to win him. The dramatic possibilities of this situation are worked out to the ultimate limit. "

The story told against almost any background would be intensely gripping. There is the girls' unusual polo game played by two teams of beauties clad in bathing suits, and a novel undersea dance pageant which marks the turning point in the story: A thrilling runaway horse episode and hand-to-hand fight on the floor of the sea which is skilfully incor-

porated in the story. Acting honours go to Ronald Colman, the young British actor. He plays the rôle of Blake, the derelict who masquerades as another man. Doris Kenyon is the girl he loves and marries and Aileen Pringle gives a splendid characterisation as the Eurasian girl. Excellent portrayals are also given by Claude Gillingwater, Alec Francis, John Patrick, and the other members of the sup-

porting cast. .. [Miss Gladys Garfield, a young Australian singer, will appear tonight and to-morrow night. I

As a passenger train was pulling out of the station it was found that the cars had not been properly coupled, and the front section started, leaving the last two coaches unmoved. Soon the to call upon you at your concommunication cord snapped, and venience. a frayed end fell near an elderly

woman passenger.

The brakeman announced that The little woman eyed him and said: "And why not? would ever think such a sma string would be strong enough?"

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SERVANTS' CONTROL. ATTITUDE OF THE K.R.A.

At the monthly meeting of the "Why Men Leave Home," a K.R.A. Committee the following First National picture produced letter was read from Mr. A. by John M. Stahl from the Morrison, 14 Stanley Terrace,

Following upon an intimation World Theatre to-day and to-by the Government that it would give consideration to outside sug-. Three married couples are the gestions received in connection central figures of the first portion with, the above, the writer of the picture. The three wives in conjunction with Mr. M. J. E. make a specialty of enjoying Mitchell, in October of last year, themselves, and were wont to placed before the Government detake week-end trips to resorts, tails for the establishment of a Labour Bureau, which it was proposed to call the Hongkong Labour Bureau.

My initial letter of October 3, 1925, giving full details of the scheme, was replied to as

"With reference to your letter regarding the establishment of a Labour Bureau, I am directed to inform you that the Government does not propose to consider further the question of the Registration of Employees until after the arrival of the new Governor." Under date of November 16, 1925, I forwarded to the Colonial

Secretary the following:-"The writer in conjunction with Mr. M. J. E. Mitchell recently laid before the Government details in connection with the establishment of a Labour Bureau which it was proposed to call the Hongkong Labour

We laid the scheme before the Government following its intimation that it would give deep consideration to any concrete proposals for the operation of a bureau by private enterprise. We were then informed that the matter was being left in abeyance pending the arrival of the new Governor and we now take this opportunity of bringing the matter to your notice. There is, of course, nothing to hinder our going ahead with the scheme, but we prefer to have the official sanction and recognition of the local Government for many reasons. We feel that a Labour Bureau such as we suggested in our letter of October 3, 1925, would fill a long needed want in Hongkong. The question of voluntary registration of servants has been much discussed especially during the last fewmonths and we are certain that. the support of the community would not be lacking."

your further "Awaiting advices." This was replied to under date

December 14, 1925. "With reference to your letter of November 16, 1925, I am directed to inform you that, on the instructions of His Excellency the Governor, information is being sought from the Government of Ceylon regarding the organisation and working of the system of registration of household servants in operation in that Colony.'

The last letter (July 21) receiv-

upon the subject from the

Colonial Secretariat reads « as " follows:— "With reference to your letter of May 31, concerning your proposals for setting up an Employment Agency, I am directed to state that as at present "advised the Government cannot in present circumstances associate itself with any private scheme for the registration

of domestic or other em-

The attitude of the Government •• has not been helpful, to say the least, and, as I am still convinced of the necessity of some form of regulation or supervision of domestics, I would like to know if you could guarantee the support of your association in the event of my establishing an Employment

Awaiting the pleasure of your early reply.

Should you "desire to see the

original letters I would be pleased

K.R.A. Reply. The reply was as follows:— I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of July 28 and to advise you that the Committee of the above Association after fully considering the question of the registration of domestic servants are unable, in view of the many difficulties involved, to guarantee the support of the Association unless the scheme proposed has the support of the Government.

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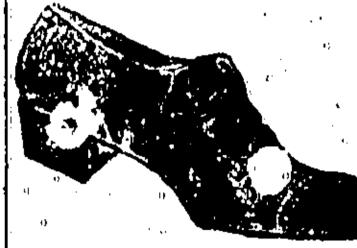
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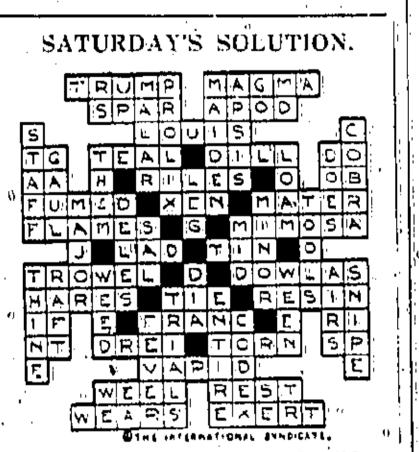
This is a story of the Mexican Sufferers from Deafness with its border, with the hero as a banmany distressing accompanying ail- dit but it is an entirely new type ments as head noises derive almost of narrative. While he is a bad immediate benefit. Calm refreshing man and no apology is made for sleep is assured. Gloom, Depres- him, in the circumstances covered sion and Nervousness are banished by the tale, he is a "good bad under the influence of these Life- man," with a unique philosophy giving Tablets. Wrinkles, hard of life and a deep sense of grati-

The whole production is a mixelastic, and the Complexion bright ture of laughter and thrill, and smooth. Think of the bless- comedy and melodrama, with a ings of perfect health, the posses- really good plot, that increases in sion of few; the Joy of a clear intensity as the action develops. Youthful appearance and tingling | No situation works out in the blood, of lustrous hair, bright eyes | stereotyped way and the sequence and health tinted cheeks-the are full of the unexpected and beauty of radiant" life" and the diverting. A really fine photo-

Jack Mulhall has a role that he admiration of your friends, and the could almost play without acting. unbounded satisfaction of yourself. All he had to do was to think of Can you allow a golden opportunity | the soldiers' bonus which he did

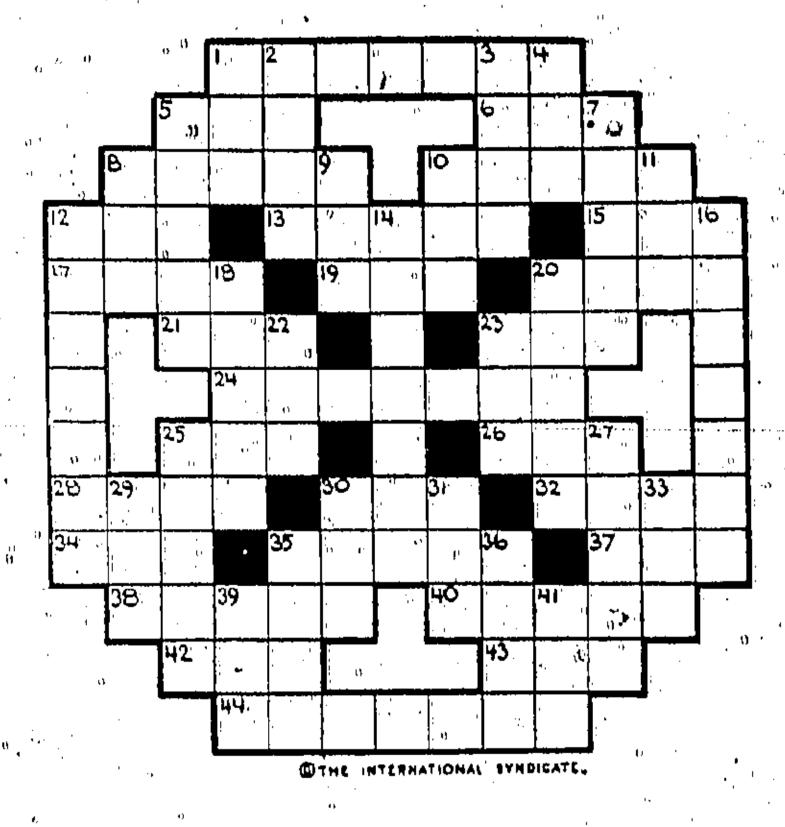
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OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look, out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)



HORIZONTAL 1-Gallantry 5-By. way of 6-End 8-Swift 10-Evergreens

12-Policeman (slang) 13-An endowment 15-To immerse ... 17-Scent 19-Children's game 20-Ship's officer 21-Outfit 23-Lubricate 24-Loyal 25-To put or place 28-To knock 28-To burn black

30-Bog

32-To season

puzzle.)

44-Mouth surgeon A VERTICAL 1-A disease of fowls 2-Foray 3-Mave 4 Transgression 5-Mist

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

37-Motor fuel (colleg.)

35_Christmas song

40-A kind of race

42-Clear gain

43-Male child

38-Guide

7-A foot-lever 8-Measure of length 9-Point 10-Wooden pin 19-To rest

VERTICAL (Cont.) 12-Accurate 14-Teamster 16-Allow# 18-Horloman 20-Mythological king o - Phrygla 22-Obtain 23-Over (contr.) 25-A kind of dross material 27-Heathen . 29-A short lesp :30-Obcso"

31-Conjunction 33-To deposit 35-A sheep-fold 36-Minus 39-Guldod 41-A collection of

SUGGESTIONS FOR SOLVING CROSS-WORD PUZZLES Start out by filling in the words of which you feel reasonably sure, These will give you a clue to other words crossing them, and they in turn to still others. A letter belongs in each white space, words starting at the numbered squares and running either horizontally or vertically or both,

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INTERESTING FIGURES.

A report on the survey of Whampoa Port has been made by Engineer Mul.

of 10,200 "mows" of land at Pak Mr. Yun Chao-kun. Tal-sha and about 200 "mows" at Kow Chai Ling, which will be guiffcient for the erection of 5 wharves and provide anchorage for 80 kong, on August 14:vessels.

[Note: An acre is equal to 4. 8 mows of land. Ed, "C.M."] The depth of the harbour is 25 ft. and 80,000 tons of cargo can be stored in the proposed godowns. Taking the godown storage, at \$1.50 per ton, the receipts per month would be \$120,000.

PASSENGER LIST.

ARRIVALS.

"Empress of Asia" arrived at Terada, Mr. T. Yoshida, Mr.

and Mr. V. Somes.

cisco via Ports, on August 16: - da Costa Barboza, Mrs. S. Imoto, August 19, at noon. Wong Bow-sucy., H.S.P.A., Mr. G. B. Sugiyama, Mr. C. Ubalalo, Mr. 215 tons of general cargo. Candido and Mr. G. G. Reyno.

DEPARTURES. " "

List of passengers departed per D. L. s.s. "President Lincoln" for

Mr. S. Garmezy, Miss E. Gonzales, and two children and Mr. K Dr. A. F. Gutierrez, Mr. C. N. Kuroda. Hodges, Mrs. L. Hodges, Miss R. Javier, Miss S. E. Jarika, Mr. I., B. Kidwell, Mrs., E. V. Kidwell Master F. W. Kidwell, Mrs. V. P. De Magarnaid, Miss V. Macaraig, J. Osmena, Mr. W. Pascual, Mrs. | here to-day. K. G. Ross, Mr. Liang, Master Yip E. Smith, Mr. P. C. Schlumborn, 19 at about 8 a.m. Mr. F. Talavera, Mr. A. L. Teodoro, J. Constein, Mrs. D. M. Grainger, Mr. on August 23. Jew Pang-goon, Mr. Leung Cheong- The E. & A. s.s. "St. Albans" left hop, Mr. Pon Bon, Mr. Poon Fong, Sydney for this port on August 14 Mr. Quan Bow, Mr. Ang Yaw, Mr. at a.m. with the outward Australian Fong Kin, Mr. Lee Yoke, Mr. Quan Mails, and is due here on Septem-Jow-ting, Mr. Ng Hing, Mr. Leung Hew, Mr. Leung Hong, Mr. Ng Al.sam, Mrs. One Yet-cy, Miss E. Herman, Mr. J. Herman (2), Mr. and Mrs. L. Moses, Miss Lines, Mr. and Mrs. Dashem, Mrs. K.

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> List of passengers by a.s. "Suwa-Maru" which salled from Hong-

Mr. K. 'Yamaguchi, Mr. S. F Smith, Miss M. Curtice, Mr. A. H. Lay, Mr. P. K. Postema, Mr. W. H. Findlay, Mr. and Mrs. M Suzuki and son, Mr. H. Mori, Mr. S. Ninjioji, Mrs. L. Bagot, Mr. J Wilson, Mr. S. Yamazaki, Mr. Miru, Mr. Chen Hunn-chang, M Yih Voong, Mr. S. Lack, Mr. C. I F. Fineilli, Mr. M. Tachibana, Mr K. Kameyama, Mr. Y. Kitamura, Mr. S. Abe, "Mr. Luk Kock-sang, Mr. D. Yamoto, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brownlee, Mrs. W. L. Thompson, Miss M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Hill, Mr. J. Mayeda, Mr. K. Nakahara, Mr. K. Tamura, Mr. K. List of passengers per R.M.S. Hiramatsu, Mr. K. Itoh, Mr. K. Kawakita, Mr. M. Goya, Mr. "T. Mr. J. H. Denham, Mrs. M. H. Wulz, Mr. R. E. Phillips, Mrs. I. Mr. K. Nizamuddin, Miss M. S. Mr. W. Gennaro, Miss L. S. Lu. Jones, Miss H. Treichler, Mr. H. Mrs. Y. Imoto, Mrs. J. da Costa

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Bell, Mr. A. Galalang, Comdr. C. and Mrs. Y. Nishimura and child, R. Crapo, Mrs. & B. Crapo, Miss Mr. S. Nobunaga, Mr. and Mrs. H N. H. Crapo, Mr. R. C. Dolby, Lt. Tsuchlya-and two-children, Mr. C Duque, Mrs. H. Dunker, Mrs. C. | Chang Lan-hai, Mr. I. Washie, Mr. M. Garmezy, Master R. H. Garmezy, H. Norrin, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Kime

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The P. & O. s.s. "Malwa" left Tai, Prof. M. L. Langsner, Mr. T. Singapore for this port yesterday Chan, Mrs. F. L. Miffett, Miss D. at 9 a.m. with the outward English Russell, Dr. J. Santillan, Major H | Mails, and is due here on August |

The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress of North River at Mr. J. L. Tiongson, Mr. P. Y. Canada" left Vancouver for Hong-Ylagan, Mr. R. Glass, Master N. K. kong, via Japan Ports and Shang-Glass, Mr. B. Daws, Capt. E. T. hai, on August 5 and is due here

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES.

Consignees of cargo ex s.s. "City Artingdale, Master E. Artingdale, of Corinth," are reminded that Miss C. Pintos, Mr. C. Shank, Mr. goods remaining undelivered after T. K. Wong. Mr. and Mrs. K. Ip. to-day will be subject to rent. Master Ng You-chung, Miss Chow. Consignees of cargo ex s.s. Master Ip Tong, Master Chan Wing, "Kina" are reminded that goods Mr. Rew Jacob-law, Mr. Wong remaining undelivered after August Wing-pak, Mr. M. Rigar, Mr. W. 20 will be subject to rent.

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FORCIBLE INTERVENTION.

A report has reached Hongkong of the detention by armed intervention of a trading vessel flying the Norwegian flag, also the removal from the ship of a considerable quantity of cargo.

The incidents in question are stated to have occurred at a..point near the Bocca Tigris forts on Tuesday morning last, shots from the forts being the first of the series of incidents which culminated in her release two days later. minus certain of the cargo.

On the steamer's arrival at Whampon a report was made to Canton. The circumstances, it is understood, are being investigated by the Commissioner of Customs at Canton.

SHIPS IN PORT.

On her trip to Canada, the R.M.S. "Empress of Asia" arrived here this morning with six Hongkong from Manila, on August Hasegawa, Mr. S. Uyemura, Mr. K. first-cabin passengers, and 11 "sect d-class passengers for Hongkong. She is taking a compara-Denham, Mr. H. J. Guigni, Mr. Hennessy, Mrs. R. Conlon and in- tively small amount of cargo for, Ng Peng-hui, Mrs. Go Gon-sun fant, Mr. In Su-sun, Mr. Fan E. Hongkong from Manila, consist-Chune, Mr. W. Antonio, Mr. A. of about 214 tons of rope and List of passengers arrived per Giovanni, Mr. T. Giovanni, Mr. P. Manila hemp. She is scheduled to 8.8. "Korea Maru" from San Fran- Aurelic, Mr. U. Salvatore, Mr. J. leave for Vancouver via ports on

The Nippon Yusen Kaisha liner | Passenger Department: K. Chan, Mr. Joseph Quiogue, Mr. Barboza, Mr. C. Dayton, Mr. In "Korea Maru" arrived in port C. Lee, Mr. Wong Bing-seow, Mr. Su-sun, Mr. N. Pasquate, Mr. T. yesterday afternoon from San Wong Seung, Mr. Wong Fook, Mr. Santo, Mr. W. Francesco, Mr. W. Francisco with 18 first-cabin pas-Wong Young, Mr. Wis Fung. Umberto, Mr. R. Carmelo, Mr. V. sengers, of which five are en route Sid Yint, Yee See, Mr. Wong Sing- Domenico, Mr. A. Paolo, Mr. De to Manila. Mostly consisting of vam. Mr. Wong Wah-ngin, Mr. R. Ginseppo, Mr. P. Vincenso, Mr. California oranges, she brought

QUARANTINE.

Canton authorities have declared Ningpo to be infected with cholera. Ships arriving at Whampon or Canton are subject to the usual regula-

The master of the s.s. "Takada" from Calcutta and Singapore, reported to the Harbour Office yesterday that two deaths had occurred among deck passengers during the voyage. One death was due to beri beri and the other to tubereulosis.

The French liner "De Grasse?" which sailed from New York on July 7 with 1,000 passengers, returned to port, her engines having broken down according to wireless message received by the company, . . .

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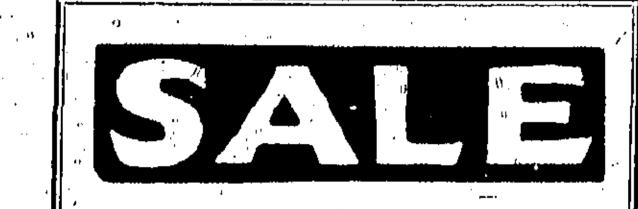
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MALWA	10,941	19th Aug.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe 👚 🦠
SANTHIA	7,754	23rd: Aug.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
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NELLORE "	6,853	3rd Sept.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
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MOREA	10,918	16th Sept.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe 💎 🗀
NYANZA	7,023	26th, Sept.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
KHYBER	9,114	1st Oct.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
ARAFURA	8,000	5th" Oct.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka and Yokohama
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KARMALA	9,128	29th Oct.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
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DELTA	8,097	27th. Nov.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
ST. ALBANS	4,500	7th Dec.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka and Yekohama
MALWA	10,941	10th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
KALYAN	0.9,114	24th Dec.	Shanghai, Moji and Kobe
"ARAFURA	6,000	4th Jan.	Moji, Kobe, Osaka and Yokohama
MOREA	10,918	7tlı Jan.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
KASHGAR	9,005	21st Jan.	Shanghai, Moji & Kobe
MANTUA	10,902	4th Feb.	Shanghal, Moji and Kobe
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ŀ	Sandakan		
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The two new passenger vessels.

ed from taking advantage of it, ing two freighters have been left and from partially remedying in abeyance, but Mr. Beatty said the curse of casual dock labour that this was no indication that for the sake of the men who have they would not be placed in not fitted themselves for such a England. favour. One does not want to.

Obsolcte Tonnage.

Speaking generally, Mr. Beatty not many dockers in casual ema aid, "I hink that both the shipbuilding and the shipowning something better, but this seems business has reached its lowest ebb, for while in relation to the former the industry must necesearily depend upon the needs of owners who are dependent upon the condition of trade, a great deal, of " the tonnage at present sailing the ocean is becoming obsolete, and will have to be replaced within the next few years. reef and at Saluag Island short, That alone will give a much-rewill be started, following approval quired impetus to the shipping

With regard to the Canadian that would provide the possibility Included in this year's pro- of further work in the future for

Questioned with regard to the fixed light at Bantayan Island near try, Mr. Beatty remarked that as Cebu, which has just been com- soon as we could leave the minnavigation around Cebu, it is said. be ample grounds for hoping

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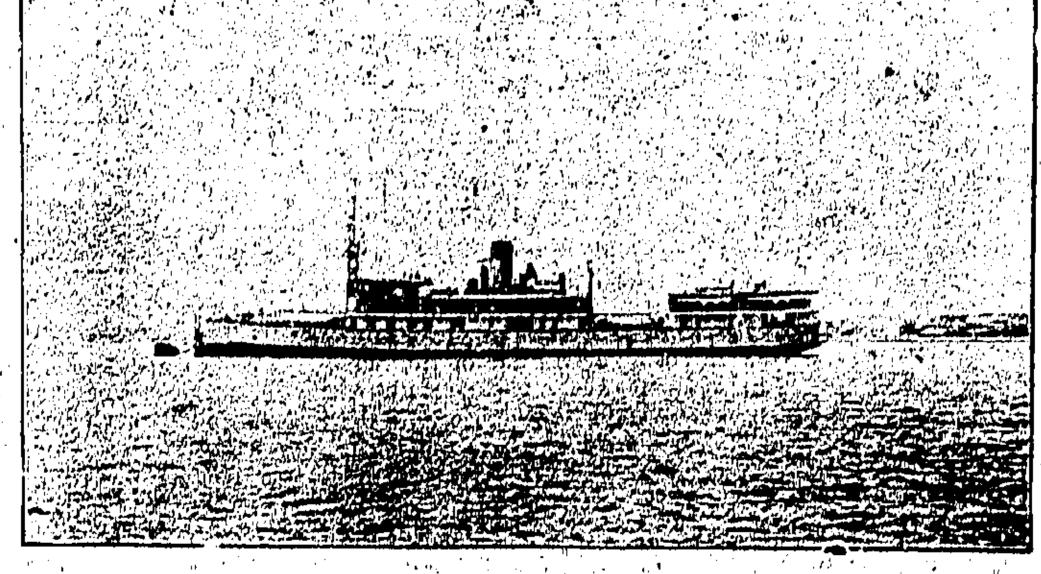
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BIRTHS. the European Hospital, Kuala Lumpur, to Mr. and Mrs. D. D.

FILMER .- At the Maternity Hospital, Singapore, on August of, Phyllis Kathleen, wife of P. T. Filmer, of a son.

Booth, Sione Estate, a daugh-

HILL.—On August 13, at Lausanne; Switzerland, to Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hill a son.

telegraph.)

VILLIAMS.—On August 3, at | tions. Alor Star Hospital, F.M.S. the wife of F. S. Williams," Jabi Estate, Alor Star, of a son.

DEATHS.

BOWIE.-Bella Bowie, wife of A. A. Bowie of Great Western, Talawakelle. Died 29, July, 1926, in her 60th year.

EDWARDS .- On the 30th ult., at Gampola, John, brother of A. J. Edwards, of the staff of the "Times of Ceylon."

Hongkong, Monday, August 16, 1926.

LOCAL TRADE.

over in the latest trade report issued by the General Chamber of Commerce. The market for cotton piece goods and fancy cotton goods remains at a complete. standstill, with no improvement in deliveries. During the past fortnight the demand for cotton. yarn has slackened, and only a few hundred bales changed hands at approximately previous rates. The woollen market—naturally at this time of the year-is describas "dead" and "nothing" doing." There are no sales of cotton yarn to report. The metal market remains stagnant. The flour market is quiet, and only the sugar market is reported as steady. Business in saltpetre has been entirely stopped owing to the heavy drop in exchange.

bright or promising report. But trade is not quite so bad as the comments in the produce market make out. There are a few redeeming features, for instances, in the return of exports for this year to date, compared with the corresponding periods of 1925 and 1924. When normal trade conditions are eventually restored Wenchow.-Reuter. there is no doubt that in every line the Colony's export trade will quickly assume the roseate hue attached to the returns prior to enteric fever in the city of additional runs came to them in June last year.

Under exports to the United this year to date are certainly in ed the plate on an error. the declines would be almost dis-

2,203 tons have been exported this was put out at first. year to date, as compared with Owan Hughes got hurt in the leg 32,679 tons up to August 13, 1925. Bowker and Ramsay also pitched will engage the all-star Filipino inmates made their escape on the Of ginger 392 tons have been ex- for the Defence Corps. In the team met in a test match yesterday entry of the officers. ported this year, as against 155 Club de Recreio third inning D. afternoon when good form was Eighteen men were arrested and tons, and 4,179 packages as com- Xavier" relieved Remedios in the shown by the All-Hongkong team, brought to Hongkong with a numpared with 1,149. Mats have been The teams and score by inning strength owing to several absentees. exported to the same destination w

this year to the extent of 734 tons (against 671 last year) and the R rolls of matting have totalled D. 5.111 against 4.721. Oils (in R_0 cases or casks), rattanware, rice, u BOOTH, On August 6, 1926, at sugar (360 tons this year as P against 85 tons last year), tea A (666 tons and 6,356 packages, as 1 compared with 243 tons and 3,800 Recreio 0 2 1 4 6 3 4-20 ing by Coulter. packages), and minerals (via Defence Corps 3 0 1 0 0 0 0-4 Pacific) all show healthy increases.

> balance the net decreases under and Alves (2 each); D. Xavier and Coulter other headings, but they at least (By are evidence of the potentialities, Hughes (1 each). given a return to normal condi- Hits-Club de Recreio, 18; De- Chuirco Of exports to the Pacific sea-

Canada pineapples have gone up and a possible victory for them was "Helena" this year from 352 tons and 7,370 nullified by many errors, which gave All Hongkong .. 0 4 3 1 0 0 cases to 2,066 tons and 43,048 second inning. cases. Rattans and rattan cone increased from 2,468 tons to 2,540 almost got home when he was and S. Hachiuma (2 each). tons; rice went up to 17,842 tons from 15,955 tons; and rubber has the first base and the plate. shown an increase of over 1,000

Continent of Europe, 4,780 pack- three blank innings, but South To-morrow the U.S.S. "Helena' up to August 13 this year There is nothing to enthuse corresponding period of last year, finishing the last lap. Declines are recorded under al the other headings. The same remark holds good in regard to were as under:-Great Britain. Exports of pre- Filipinos serves have increased; those of Francisco soy have been exactly the same; Cruz and all other lines show reduc- Zafra

There is nothing in the report Tecson before us to show the trend in im-Bautista ports to the Colony—the volume, information on this aspect of local South China 0 5 0 0 2 0 trade will be found in the next ansence of the Statistical Office of Lee (1 each). the Government Imports and Exports Department only a rough calculation can be expected. This is not helpful to local merchants or others interested in the expansion of the trade of the Empire. That is certainly not a very Is not a revival due of the movement in favour of re-opening the terday, the Japanese defeated the Statistical Office? "...

IN A TYPHOON. AMERICAN WARSHIP IN TROUBLE.

Shanghai, August 16. Wireless reports picked up from is having difficulty in a typhoon off

During the forty-eight hours ending August 15, the health re-Victoria.

LOCAL BASEBALL. ALL-HONGKONG DEFEAT GOB STARS.

3 LEAGUE MATCHES.

Much of interest in the local themselves to blame for not bringweek-end.

Yesterday the All-Hongkong team | sions were not popular. defeated the crack gobs from U.S.S. 'Helena," auguring well for our chances against the "Philippines" Japanese

Three matches were decided in Y. Hachiuma ss the league, resulting in the leaders Honda -South China and the Japanese- S. Hachiuma

SATURDAY'S MATCHES.

H.K.V.D.C. v. Club de Recreio.

increasing their advantage.

The Defence Corps were in top form at the start when they scored three runs after blanking out the Club de Recreio in the first inning. run in the third inning, this being and Davis (1 each). States and Canada, via the Suez scored by Owen Hughes, who was and Panama Canals, decreases for walked, stole two bases, and reach-

With a couple of runs in their the majority. Indeed, without a second effort, the "Club de Recreio" complete understanding of the continued to pile up runs and peculiar local conditions, some of finished with a total of 20. The at:six runs scored in the fifth, inning were made after two men had been concerting. Viewed from this struck out and two strikes on third, angle the increases under other Figueiredo being let through on an headings, must be welcomed. error, A walk, more errors (including a drop at centre field), and Thus, of Chinese merchandise, four hits did the rest until Pereira H.K. Baseball Club .. 2 8

early in the game; but came again.

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1234567 Runs-Club de Recreio: Figueire- were as under:do (4); A. Xavier and Remedios "Helena" These, of course, do not counter- (3 each); Pereira, Gosano, Rocha Jones Barros (1 each). Defence Corps: Russell Ramsay, Wheeler, Bowker and Owen Beers

fence Corps, 9." Filipinos v. South China. The Filipinos put up a very Nickson board of the United States and plucky fight against South China. the champions five runs in their

> In the earlier inning Shim had (2 each);" Kusano, Cockey Zafra smartly dismissed by Zafra in a good piece of double play between

Excitement ran high when the Filipino team takes place this after-Filipinos became even by scoring noon. South China's team will be five runs in the fourth and fifth the same as that which played on Coming to the exports to the innings, with both sides having Saturday." Errors were responsible for S. L. test match.

In the Filipino last inning, all Hongkong." the men were beaten at first base. The teams and score by inning last nine innings.

South China T. Chinn June Choy S. S. Lee Sling S. L. Lee Yee Shim Leung 🗀

1, 2 3 4 5 6 7 value, or origin. Apparently some Filipinos 0.0 0 3 2 0 0-5 the U.S. major league baseball Runs-Filipinos: "Leonard (2); Cruz, Zafra and Tecson (1 each). Saturday, August 7: nual report of the General Cham- South China: Leung (2); June, ber of Commerce; but in the ab- S. S. Lee, T. Chinn, Choy and S. L. Hits-Filipinos, 4; South China,

SUNDAY'S GAMES.

Japanese v. Club.

Playing in a league match yes-Hongkong Baseball Club by eight runs to four.

In the third inning, the Club gained the lead by one run through Tuesday: a three-bagger by Ransom with two strikes against him and two men down. Hines reached the plate, followed by Kansom on an error, and Cockey struck a two-bagger to Wednesday: the U.S.S. Asheville state that she bring Davis home. They were only able to add one other run in the last inning through Ransom who

started on a hit. The Club lead was short-lived, as Thursday: the Japanese equalised and added turn shows one case (Chinese) of two more in the fourth. Three their last two innings.

It was unfortunate that "the umpire (Nickson of the U.S.S. 'Helena") disallowed a home run scored by S. Hachiuma this third this season) along the left base line. The ball dropped in-field beyond the second base before it left the diamond, but the umpire failed to see it. The Japanese were

baseball world occurred during the ing their own umpire, as in other directions also the umpire's deci- years service with Mesars. Butter-

were as under:-Baseball Club and made many friends. Kusano Davis Muccio Rankin Morris Yokoi Ransom Hines Murata "Cockey Hayase Harrell Ishimatsu Takotami Ismail

Runs-Japanese: S. Hachiuma of esteem. and Murata (2 each); Takotami, They then dropped out completely Kusano, Ishimatsu and Yokoi (1 and were only able to add one other each). Club: Ransom (2), Hines Hits-Japanese, 9p Club, 8.

LEAGUE TABLE.

The League table now stands

South China Club de Recreio Filipinos 4 Defence Corps 2 7

"Helena" v. All Hongkong. Chinese officers. Two of the local teams which At one but a large number of although they were not at full ber of pipes and the opium seized. The U.S.S. "Helena" hitherto unde- hefore the District Officer South. Frented were beaten by sight runs to four.

In the second inning Cockey hit a home run to left field which brought Aives and Ishimatsu home. Gosano having already stolen home after a pitched ball. They added four more runs in the next two

innings. The two singles scored by the "Helena" came from hits and steal-

The teams and score by inning ing with the embezzlement of Alves Ransom Ishimatsu

Shim Harding S. Hachiuma Gosano Koblis Kusano Butler Zafra Cockey

9 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 0 0 0 1 0 1 0-2 Runs-"Helena" Coulter

Hits-Three each. "STAR" PROGRAMME. The first match with the all-star

ages of preserves were exported China got ahead again with the meet the visitors, their team being two runs which gave them the win, also practically the same as in the

against 1,315 packages for the Lee, gaining a start and Leung | The last match is on Wednesday between the visitors and "All-

> All games start at 4.30 and will Detroit 8. New York 9. Season tickets are not available

at these special matches U.S. BASEBALL.

NATIONAL & AMERICAN LEAGUES.

A WEEK'S RESULTS.

New York, Aug. 15. The following are the results of matches played last week.

National League, New York 0, Cincinnati 11. New York 3, Cincinnati 1. Brocklyn O, St. Louis 3. Brooklyn 3, St. Lbuis 6. Philadephia 5, Chicago 6. Boston 2, Pittsburg 0. Sunday:

New York 6, Cincinnati 0. Brooklyn 2, St. Louis 3. Monday: "

New York 4, St. Louis 3. Brooklyn 3, Pittsburg 9. Philadelphia 7, Cincinnati 4. Philadephia 5, Cincinnati 10. Boston 5, St. Louis 0.

New York 2, Chicago 0. Brooklyn 2, Pittsburgh 10. Boston 1, St. Louis 3. Philadelphia 0, Cincinnati 8.

Brooklyn 4, Pittsburgh 2. New York 1, Chicago 11. Boston 0, St. Louis 2. Philadelphia 3, Cincinnati 21,

Philadephia 2, Cincinnati 9. (Continued at foot of next

Column.)

VALEDICTORY.

RETIRING AFTER 25 YEARS SERVICE

MR. JOHN WILSON.

Mr. John Wilson left the Colony on Saturday last, retiring after 25. field & Swire in the Far East, in The teams and score by inning the course of which he has been stationed at several different Ports.

> In his early days in Shanghai he was prominent as a fine Rugger player, and was a member of the a Fire Brigade, but a serious riding accident later precluded any active participation in sports, and compelled him to live very quietly.

He has been an invalid lately, but a few friends entertained him at tiffin before leaving, taking the 0 2 0 3 0 1 2-8 opportunity to present a silver cigar ... 0 0 3 0 0 0 1-4 box and cigarette case as a mark

OPIUM RAID.

REVENUE OFFICERS VISIT PING CHAU.

EIGHTEEN ARRESTS.

Oplum divan keepers and traders Pct. in illicit drug at Ping Chau island .900 were rounded up in a raid carried .777 out by a large party of revenue off-

.500 | cers last night. .400 The raiding party consisted of .222 Chief Preventive Officer Clarks, .200 Senior Revenue Officer Watt, Revenue Officer Ward, and twenty

The arrested men will be brought

EMBEZZLEMENT.

W \$12,000 TAKEN BY A SHROFF.

WILLING TO MAKE GOOD.

A shroff was charged at the Central Magistracy this morn-\$12,000 which he had collected All-Hongkong from the Yu Tak Sing and other

Chinese firms. Det.-Sub-Inspector Lane said that he made a police search on a warrant, but failed to find the money, and the defendant gave them no help. The man had, however, made a statement admitting that he took the money, of which \$2,000 had been lent to a

compradore's nephew. Defendant said his relatives had been asked to find the money to make restitution. To enable All-Hongkong: Gosano and Alves him to do so, His Worship adjourned the case for a week.

> American League. Saturday, August 7. Detroit 6, New York 4. Cleveland 8. Washington 5. Cleveland 2, Washington 9. St. Louis 5, Boston 2. Chicago 2, Philadelphia 3. Chicago 2, Philadelphia 0,

Sunday: Detroit 8, New York 3. Cleveland 7, Washington 4. Chicago' 5, Philadelphia 6. St. Louis 2, Boston 4." Monday:

Cleveland 7, Washington 5. Chicago 1, Philadelphia 2. St. Louis 5, Boston 7. Tuesday: Detroit 5, New York 3. Cleveland 1, Washington 4.

St. Louis 8, Boston 4. Chicago 3, Philadelphia 4. Wednesday: Washington 5, New York 4. Washington 5, New York 4. Cleveland 2, Chicago 7.

St. Louis 1, Detroit 4.

Churaday: Washington 5, New York'2. Boston 1, Philadelphia 5. Boston 0, Philadelphia 5. Cleveland 5, Chicago 0. St. Louis 7, Detroit 2.

Friday: Washington 5, New York 7. -Reuter's American Service.

Standings. Including results of August 8 the standings were given as:-National League.

Pittsburgh 59

St. Louis Cincinatti 58 New York 55 51 .519 American League

Brooklyn 52 Philadelphia Cleveland Philadolphia 57 52 Chicago 56

Boston 44 61 .419 New York 71 88 .651 Detroit 57 54 .514 St. Louis 46 62 .426

CHOLERA.

CHAPEI WATERWORKS DEFENCE.

A WEEKLY CLEAN.

Shanghain August 18. The Chapel Waterworks Company have sent a letter to the "North to make formal charges against China Dally News," in reply to the Archbishop Moray del Rio because latter's special article on August 13, of an interview he recently gave denying that the water tanks are an American Press representative cleaned monthly, and saying that in alleged violation of a clause of glass or suffering from shock. an alum dosage is applied and the the Constitution forbidding clergytanks cleaned weekly.

papers statements regarding try .- Reuter. "squeeze," etc., as criminal libel. They also say that it is anything but fair to say that to them should be ascribed the whole responsibility, for the mortality from cholers, The death toll in settlement is also particularly great this year.

improvements and plans upon which terview in which he arraigned Pope the Company were embarking .- Pius XI, charging that the Vatican

ON THE RHINE.

REDUCTIONS IN FRENCH TROOPS.

Rugby, August 15. policy of conciliation.

armament, such as certain un- United Press. fulfilled stipulations of the military clauses in the Peace Treaty, the practices of so-called sporting associations, and the numbers of regimental officers being instruct ed in staff duties.

The "Times" expresses the fitable for either side to bicker over points that are not vital. goodwill which all profess to desire, is to be allowed to prevail, large views must be taken and the temptation to trump grievances or to administer press. petty reproofs must be resolutely set aside.—British Wireless Ser-

"TIGER" AND BORAH NO REPLY TO AMERICAN SENATOR.

Paris, August 15. M. Clemenceau declared that he criticism. His letter was to Presiwill not reply. "As a matter of the Congress. Let us wait and see the natural re- Congress revolts. actions."

to return to politics, and says injuries suffered when crowds, week to four years' imprisonment are now using the plea of inadethat he prefers his garden to the mostly composed of women, clash- by the Peking Garrison Headquar- quacy of available garrisons on this Senate.—Reuter.

NO CONSULATES. HOW EGYPT IN SAVE MONEY.

Cairo, August 15. The wholesale abolition of Egyptian Legations and Consulates abroad has been voted Parliament "as a measure of economy. Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Brazil, Belgium, Holland, are affected hereby.

The Foreign Minister opposed sires.—Associated Press. the abolition of the Spanish Legation, but the Chairman of the Parliamentary commission, which proposed the whole matter. said this was agreed to by the Ministers.—Reuter.

EXPRESS DERAILED.

DRAMATIC PLUNGE OVER EMBANKMENT.

day night.

into the road, while two coaches persons in the United Kingdom .- who dare continue such propaganda. I don't want to ride anything that capsized.—Reuter.

CONSIDERATE!

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NO PROSECUTION!

Mexico City, August 14. President Calles has decided not men to criticise the Government or The Company describe the news- the fundamental laws of the coun-

POPE'S RULES SCORNED.

President's Allegation.

Mexico City., August 8. President Calles received The letter concludes by outlining foreign correspondents for an inhad been "medding" in Mexican political affairs and had practically ings .- Reuter." ordered Mexican Catholics to disobey the constitution."

He said that the Mexican Government had been too" lenient with the Church and that interference with the orderly functions of the State had reached an intolerable point.

"How could any Government Commenting on the promised submit to meddling of this kind?" will learn with regret of the death neichong village where a matshed reductions of French troops in he asked, and proceeded to point of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Barchet, was burning. The fire was soon the Rhineland, the "Times" thinks out several instances, which he re- which occurred at her residence, 31 extinguished. There was no loss that no action by the Government garded as proof that the Church Brennam Road, early on August 4. of life. The inhabitants of the of the man who ordered the was active in politics. He said Mrs. Barchet was nearly 77 years matshed appear to have fled and occupation of the Ruhr could be that no effort toward mediation by of age at the time of her death, had not put in an appearance even better calculated to impress upon any outside and disinterested party, and had spent 44 years of her life when the flames were quelled ... the German people the desire of had been made, with the exception in China. She belonged to that

the occupation forces, the the controversy because it was only lings and a promising port.

To Use Force. by Mexican Foreign Minister Saenz took the duties of of Port Doctor. bassies denies that President four daughters and one son. hold the national constitution.

if necessary, in order to compel the in the United States."

Congress Dominated.

expressed that the controversy be- retired life, as befitted her age. tween the Government and the She was for a numbers of years Catholics might be solved through with the American Baptist Mission an enactment in Congress which in Ningpo, and there are still a few through religious regulations less "N. C. Daily News" who will rea week ago.

announced to-day that it was pre- announced later. had not "read Senator Borah's paring a draft of a law regulating the religious section of the condent Coolidge, and, therefore, he stitution which it will submit to

fact." added the "Tiger." "I shall " President Calles dominates the not answer anybody. I said all Congress as well as his Govern-I had to say in my letter, ad- ment and in the last analysis modidressed, firstly, to the American fication of the religious regulation

M. Clemenceau does not intend state that a woman died of her months ago, was sentenced last Legations timidly rejected it and ed with soldiers and police last ters on the charge of inciting others section for the forfeiture of the Sunday while the municipal' com- to create "disturbances publicly protocol right of free communicamittee was taking over the Catholic against the law. The verdict tion with the sea. church property. The woman, declares that although the Students This community is alarmed and Señora Josefa Flores, was shot Union had been dissolved, Ming disgusted by the futility of the through both legs and a number of Chung-chi, one of the chiefs of the Legation policy as the attitude of

Mexican Government intends to en- demonstrations against the govern- insulting, rendering trade imposforce the nationalisation of church ment were displayed. Though no sible and life precarious and so is property regulations as regards evidence to substantiate the police seriously preparing an insistent Protestant churches, just as it is charge of communistic propaganda demand for change of representa- Bad Man." now doing in the case of the had been found yet Ming's act in tion in the Legations of all the Catholic church property. It was inciting the students to assemble major Powers. explained that this does not mean together at the 3rd Campus of the A prominent Chinese banker said the seizure or the converting of the National University in the National to the writer in great perturbation, edifices to Government use, but that University in the name of the Stu- recently: Czecho-Slovakia and Roumania edinces to Government uso, but share University in the name of the decidence will soon have South China, 4.30 p.m.

SILK DUTIES.

AUTHORITIES CLEAR THE

London, August 15, sion on the subject, the Oversess tion was to take action to dismiss A number of saddled burros in the United Eingdom on silk or punishment.

Pritish Wireless Service.

BIG. EXPLOSION.

TROOPS PERFORM FINE SERVICE.

BUILDINGS FLOODED."

Budapest, Aug. 14. It is confirmed that nobody was

killed in the Capel explosion. The total casualties are two seriously injured and sixty slightly injured by fragments of

The explosion was the result of spontaneous combustion in powder galleries, where the powder stood on shelves, so that the force of the explosion was directalarm by watchmen.

OLD RESIDENT.

PASSES AWAY IN SHANGHAI.

France to continue the recent of the offer by President Leguis of rapidly dwindling shand of old POLICY OF SACRIFICE China hands who know Shanghai Referring to the discussion pro- President Calles said that he saw when that city was little more than ceeding in Germany regarding no reason for trying to mediate in a collection of small foreign build-

"Times" expresses the hope that "superficial, not fundamental" Mrs. Barchet came to China with the question will not be allowed and due to a conflict between the what is known as a "Lammermuir to interfere with the approach of Church and the Mexican constitut party of missionaries to the China Germany to the League of tion. He said that he had no Inland Mission, and made the pass-Nations and points out that on choice but to enforce the constitutage out here in a sailing ship, their side the Allies might raise, tion and expressed the hope that arriving on September 30, 1866. if they were so minded, several the authorities of the church would Shortly after her arrival she marpoints in connection with dis- accept the Government's decrees - ried the late Dr. Stophen Pau Barchet, who was for 43 years leading foreign resident of Ningpo Washington, August 8. | where, in addition to his work as a An explanatory statement issued medical missionary, he also under-

and transmitted to the Mexican Em- Mrs. Barchet leaves a family Calles intend to "Sovietize" Mexico only daughter at present in Shangview, however, that it is unpro- and says that the only purpose of hai is Mrs. J." Trevor-Smith. but to be revived. the anti-religious decrees is to up- another daughter. Miss Harrief Barchet of the Rockefeller Founda-The statement says that the tion at Peking, is at present on her Government is ready to use force, way. The rest of the family are

up obedience of all citizens .-- United Mrs. Barchet was at one time connected closely with the Door of Hope and several years ago served unavailable. Mexico City, August 8. | on the committee. Of late, howwith more than passing regret. The Department of the Interior The date of the funeral will be

STUDENT JAILED.

FOR INCITING TO DISTURB

PEACE.

" Peking, Aug. 2.

to the names on the roll-book of the end will be the Chinese people." furniture, etc., etc., 2.80 p.m. the Union, the Ministry of Educa-

artificial silk brought by passen- The judgment of the case was for a day's outing were on the Six persons were killed and gers, not residing in the United contained in a proclamation post-porch awaiting the last members "Mr. Churchill will get what is seriously injured by the derail- Kingdom, who are passing with ed throughout the various educa- of the group. Suddenly one of coming to him," says a leaderment of an express train near their effects through the United tional institutions with a warning the burros planted himself firmly writer. He has already got what Riverhead, Long Island, yester- Kingdom en route to a destination to the students to refrain from be- and gave vent to prolonged bray- was coming to us.—Punch. abroad, or on such articles brought ing misled by Communism, Bol- ing which fairly made the moun-The train was travelling at by passengers who are resident shevism, and other malicious tains echo. sixty miles an hour, and when abroad but are making a temporary theories advanced by Lenip, Marx, When the "hee-hawing" had you take with your city water?

-Keo Wen.

FALSE ALARM.

KOWLOON BRIGADE'S VAIN

COOLIE AND ASDAGGER.

At about 7.10 on Saturday night a l ately sent, but when it arrived it At the conclusion of the case. proved to be a false alarm.

Troops averted a greater catas- and Mr. Johnson's amah, who was fore'l" frophe by flooding the buildings in the vicinity at the time, thought | The case in question (Mr. and covering them with earth. It was a fire alarm, and, running to Kentwell is being sued in respect

> in turn sent a fire engine. The coolie who is alleged to have threatened the owner of the stall was arrested by an Indian contable who answered the police whistle.

Matshed Burned. On Saturday morning the Fire Old Shanghai residents especially | Station, received a call to Wong-

BRITISH LEGATION AND FENGTAL GARRISON.

PEKING COMMUNITY ALARMED.

"N. C. Daily News":-Another conspicuous forfeiture cedure.

the Treaty right of communication trustee. with the sea, which went by de- Mr. Kentwell:-Exactly so, and fault during the recent wars is not because I got big fees and opened

The French have already with- action. drawn from their posts on the lower . Mr. Brown-I suggest this is section of the railway. The official very offensive. plea is that one garrison of 40 men. The Judge-Mr. Kentwell, I keep

the community here. If the Peking him. section is thus wholly surrendered, Two minutes later, the Judge

soon be inevitable. centration of all guards between against Mr. Brown. There is no Peking and Tangku, abandoning the occasion to be insolent to a brother Shanhaikuan section, since Tangku practitioner. is now available to shipping at all Mr. Kentwell-I am not insolent. people and then to the French. will remain in his hands unless the Ming Chung-chi, representative seasons. His suggestion implied of the Peking Students General the effective neutralisation of the Dispatches from Torreon to-day Union, who had been arrested two railway during the wars, so the There again you are insolent. I

other women were slightly injured. Union; continued to call meetings the military towards foreigners is It was announced to-day that the of students, during which hostile becoming daily more truculent and

to do that in the future, if it de- demonstrations against the govern- to put the increased tariff into August 17-At Happy Valley. ment constituted an offence to dis-effect to secure the Indemnity that All Star Filipino Baseball team v. turb public peace and order (Art. China will be saddled with as a U.S.S. Helena, 4.30 p.m. 221 of the Criminal Code). The result of your present policy in August 18-All Star Filipino penal servitude of the 3rd grade dealing with the irresponsible Raseball team v. All Hongkong, for an imprisonment of four years militarists. It is costing you a lot at Happy Valley, 4.30 p.m. was accordingly given against him in trade now: it will cost you much Auction. beside being deprived of his public discomfort and many lives soon, Aug. 18.—At Lammert Bros. rights for ten years. With regard but those who will pay heavily in Sales Room, valuable household

crossing points two powerful loco- riay in the United Kingdom, etc. but to devote their attention stopped, six-year-old Henry walk- it looks rather muddy." motives left the rails and plunged. Duty will, however, be charged exclusively in their studies. The ed over to his mother and said over the embankment, crashing on any such articles brought for severest punishment awaits those purposely: "Well, believe me, boil it..."

AN ORDEAL.

"SHANGHAL BARRISTER CROSS-EXAMINED.

JUDGE'S SEVERE CENSURE.

As defendant in an action in the telephone call was received by the Supreme Court, Shanghai, Mr. L. H. Kowloon Fire Brigade reporting a Kentwell, barrister-at-law, was subfire at Shanghai Street near the mitted to cross-examination which market. A fire engine was immediated to frequent exciting passages.

after Mr. Kentwell had been Obviously, the alarm was caused severely reprimanded by Judge by a misinterpretation of the blow- Grain for "insolent and insulting" ing of a police whistle, by an amah behaviour, Mr. Kentwell apologised. employed by Mr. Johnson of the Although in the course of his call-Telephone Company. It appears ing as a barrister, Mr. Kentwell that a coolie approached the owner must have cross-examined innumered upward. The guard of the of a stall in the market and, able witnesses, the reasons he gave power works was twice given the threatening him with a dagger, de- for his behaviour were that he was manded three dollars." The stall undergoing a great strain and had The Fire Brigade and Engineer owner blew his whistle for help, "never been cross-examined be-

The great concussion broke all her master, reported that the of an accounting in connection the windows in neighbouring market was on fire. Mr. Johnson, with the winding up of the Shanghouses and damaged many build- like a good citizen, lost no time in hal Chinese Coal Produce and Stock | calling out the Fire Brigade, who Exchange) attracted an usually large attendance of the general public and for Shanghai it was an exception to have the Judge find it necessary, when there was an outburst of laughter over one of Mr Kentwell's remarks, to remind those present that there must be silence at the back of the Court.

In the course of the case, the Judge, addressing Mr. Kentwell. said:--I have given you far more licence than I would have given to any legal gentleman who might have 'appeared' on your behalf. I have allowed you to go to lengths I should never have allowed any gentleman practising at the Bar to go. You are a barrister-at-law and

you know legal procedure. Mr. Kentwell-I forget now that am a barrister-at-law. I am just L. K. Kentwell, the defendant.

The Judge-But that does not Rodney Gilbert writes to the altogether obliterate from your mind the knowledge of legal pro-

of Protocol Rights is in prospect. Mr. M. B. Brown, counsel for the The British Legation is seriously plaintiff, who was cross-examining contemplating the withdrawal of defendant, produced accounts which the railway garrison from Fengtai, he said showed that in addition to thereby completing the abandon- the fee received by defendant for ment of the Peking-Tientsin line registration of the Company he also and indicating to the Chinese that drew fees as liquidator and official

your eyes is the reason of this

is useless, so that the display of an pointing out to you that you are a inadequate force is only provoca- legal practitioner. You constantly tive, while adequate garrisons are bring actions in this Court which I suppose the other party consider Nevertheless the moral effect of offensive. Mr. Brown is only doing In some circles to-day hope was ever, she has been living a quiet and complete withdrawal upon the his duty and it is most improper Chinese military is much feared by to use such offensive remarks to

the maintenance of American and again intervened to remark:-"Mr: convenes on September 1 or old residents of that port, says the Japanese guards on the Tientsin- Kentwell, you are again being Shanhalkuan section no longer extremely offensive. You are a drastic than those put into effect member her, and view her demise serves the original purpose of member of the English Bar and a protecting Peking's communica- graduate, I think, of Oxford Unitions, so their withdrawal would versity. It is usually the custom for a member of the Bar and a In January, Gen. Connor, the University man to behave like American commandant strongly gentleman, and I cannot think of urged that the protocol provisions anything more ungentlemanly than should be made effective by the con- to impute such things as you do

> The Judge-You are. And you must not contradict the Rench. ask you once more not to do this

Snadows Before.

COMING EVENTS, ANNOUNCED IN THE "MAIL."

August 16-Queen's Theatre; "A Thief in Paradise." August 16-Star Theatre: "The August 16-World Theatre:

"Why Men Leave Home." Sports. August 16-Baseball at Happy Valley, All Star Filipino team v

August 31-Annual meeting of Trade Department states that those who names are in it, though were standing patiently in front, the United Asbestos Oriental— Customs duty will not be charged they were exempted from further of an hotel in the mountains. The Agency, Ltd. in the offices of

Chemist: "What precaution do

Housekeeper: Well, first we

"Yes, and then" "And then we drink ginger ale."

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

THE CHINA MAIL.

A Home mail via Negapatam the total amounting to 376 bags. of which 82 were from the United Kingdom. The next Home mail is due on Thursday.

Managua, Nicaragua, August 8.—The government to-day seized a quantity of arms and ammunition which was secreted in an hotel in the central part of the capital. The ed an uprising against the govern-

arsenal, in accordance with the bootleggers. programme approved by the committee which investigated the disbe more widely separated.

Shanghai, the "Sinwanpao" ax how the apparatus, by means of has ordered three divisions of his ties for the prevention of the trade | cated chemical analyses. in firearms. The paper says that the system of signal lights and alarm bells should have been in- The first conviction under the new stalled here long ago, so that notice syndicalist law forbidding strikes of armed robberies could be given was handed down by the labour automatically.

. In view of the outbreak o cholera along the Peking-Hankow Railway line, the Central Plague Prevention Bureau has published a set of regulations, consisting of seven items, instructing the people and merchants to take preventive measures. Besides advising them to pay attention to their daily enting and drinking, the Bureau requests that fleas, mosquitoes, and rats, which spread the disease should be destroyed and gutters should be cleaned with disinfectants to destroy the parasites.

manufacturers. By a patented der buying here extensively. time air expresses.

The appropriation of Y850,000 arrived on Saturday afternoon, passed by the last session of the American Ambassador to Mexico, Japanese emigrants in Brazil. There are approximably 8,000 of them near San Paulo and elsewhere and it appears that, the recent drought has impoverished them.

seizure is believed to have prevent- the charge of conspiring to violate the tourists desiring to take the fraudulent medical prescriptions. will be sold to European cities. Evidence in the hands of the jury Washington, August ab .- As- Indicates that most of the business | sistant Secretary of the Navy done by the indicted firms was Robinson announced that the work with, exclusive families who pre- tions stated to-day that he had of rebuilding the Lake Denmark ferred not to deal with ordinary no information concerning the

aster, would begin immediately. Experts connected with a sub- Jugo-Slavia territory by the More land will be added to the sidiary company of the Allgemeine Bulgarian irregulars. area already owned by the Navy Elektricitats Gesellschaft at Hanan Department and the magazines, will have announced the discovery of a quartz lamp by which counterfeit nese sources state that, fearing the banknotes, fake pearls, and the Cantonese Nationalist Army will In an editorial on the armed faintest shades of link may be di- attempt to enter Fuklen and, robbery menace in and around teeted. The experts demonstrated Kiangsi, Marshal Sun Chuan-fang presses the opinion that the evil ultra-violet rays, discloses the most own troops to stand by in case of can only be stopped by close co- subtle fulsifications whose detec- emergency, and has sent a large operation between the Chinese and tion hitherto depended on microthe Shanghai Settlement authori- | scopic investigation and compli-

> Alessandria, Italy, July 93court here to-day. labourers, employed in a jute facby at Carrosio, were found guilty of having on June 30 organised a strike of 800 labourers to get better working conditions Five were sentenced to ten months' imprisonment each, and the others, who were minors, to eight months. Under the syndicalist law, the penalties will not be applied, provided the men are well-behaved for

Victoria, B.C. (Special Correspondence).-Arrangements for the importation of large quantities of British Columbia seed potatoes into California this fall are being "Berlin, August 3.-The world's made here by H. Z. Zukerman, one first "flying sleeping cars" are in of the United States largest potato of the Deursche Luftanasa, one of lover potato crops in various parts Cermany's leading firms of aircraft of this province with a view to vice the ordinary seats in the British Columbia potatoes are demachines used for day-time flying sired in California for seed purextensive California operations.

Mexico City, August 7.-Tho Diet is shortly to be distributed to Mr. Sheffield, has delivered a new note to the Mexican Foreign Office with reference to petroleum and the Land Laws.

Harbin," August 1.-The Commercial Department of the Chineso' New York, August 4.-The Eastern Railway has decided to tederal grand jury indicted eighty station representatives at Shangdruggists and whiskey agents on hai and Tientsin for the benefit of the prohibition laws by using Trans-Siberian Railway. Tickets

"Geneva, August 4. — The secretary of the League of Nanote reported" to have been sent to the lengue by Jugo-Slavia pro-Frankfort, Ger., July 14. testing against the raids into

> Reports from trustworthy Chiquantity of munitions to Foochov for the use of Gen. Chow Yin-jen. Tupan of Fukien. The shipment includes four cannon, 300 machine guns and 800,000 rounds of arrmunition.

The Drafting Committee of the interested Powers in preparng the joint report to their respective Governments relative to the Commission on Extraterritoriality is meeting at the British Legation every day ... Discussion follows discussion relative to each subject to be mentioned in the report before agreement is reached, and it is due to this that work is not making so rapid a progress as was at first anticipated:

Ontario, Calif. " (Special Correspondence).—A hen at the E. W. Jamison ranch here has adopted nine small collie puppies. When the puppies arrived she, lost no time in taking possession of them. course of construction at the works growers. Mr. Zukerman is looking although the mother dog at first offered considerable objection. Now a compromise appears to have been oreached. Biddy mothers the puppies most of the day, tucking them under her wings when she are convertible into comfortable poses because they introduce new thinks, they need warmth and berths. The machines will be in- strength into the southern strain, clucking a great deal to them. But stalled on long-distant routes Mr. Zukerman experimented with when meal time comes around, she where plans are being laid to sup northern seed last year and was permits" them to toddle to their plement day services with night- well satisfied with its success in his mother, after which the hen again takes the pupples under her wings.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL NEWS.

Mr. Colin Scott, a director of Messrs. Butterfield & Swire, arrived Mett, secretary of the Y.M.C.A., to. Crown Prince Gustaf Adolf of Dollar liner "President Hayes" on World's Alliance, representing 52 sailed to-day for the Orient. They the 10th instant.

Bombay, August 5.-A message from Goa, the Portuguese depenlency on the west coast of India, says that Colonel Sequiera, chief of Casparri, pontifical secretary of the colonial army council, carried state is confined to his bed with a out a successful coup against the slight cold and general indisposigovernor general forcing him to resign and leave the colony

New Haven, Conn., August 3. The people of the Virgin Islands day and was warmly greeted. should be granted citizenship in the opinion of Senator Bingham of Cou-States, Senator Bingham said.

former Esthonian minister missed from the Esthonian diplo- of the British miners have failed. matic service, has told the leading Soviet organ that a secret conference of officials of Balkan states was held in Warsaw last December and at that session it was decided that Esthonia must refuse th Soviet offer of a safety guarantee

Tientsin, August 5.- The interby a dinner given by the Tientsin Lawn Tennis Association to all the players and officials participating. The dinner was given at the Tientsin Country Club last night, when Mr. Young, president of the Tientsin Lawn Tennis Association was in the chair, supported by the consuls-general and consuls are sident in this town.

Plymouth, Vermont, Aug. 5.-Forgetting matters of state to-day President Coolidge turned his athis father and son.

New York, August 5.-John R. in Shanghai from Kobe on the day accepted the presidency of the countries. Mr. Mett, it will be remembered, passed through Hongkong some few months ago.

23th Eucharistic Congress

Paris, August 3 .- According necticut who returned to-day from the "Humanite," the conference an inspection of the islands. They held in Paris by the Soviet Synso understood the treaty when they | dicalist Delegates and the reprevoted to approve the sale of the sentatives of the General Council islands by Denmark to the United of the English Trade Unions has been adjourned to the end of August. The "Humanite" con-Warsaw, 'August 5 .- Berk, 'the | cludes the Soviets' efforts to engage to the General Chamber in an Moscow, who was recently di- inediate and efficient maintenance

Harbin, August 7.—Chinese troops who are attempting to suppress the bandits gathered in the yard at the armking fountain of the American Consulate to-day and threatened George C. Hanson, the American Consul. He attempted to make his exit around a rear gateway, but the Chinese were in port tennis matches were followed in ugly temper and with drawn rifles forced Hanson back into the to the Chinese authorities and demanded an apology.

Tokyo, August 7.—Representa-October 30 in Tokyo for the opening session of a 12-day Panwill formulate a programme for the gave some glimpses of form Pacific. Among the nations reprehomestead of 275 acres, using a Philippines. Holland, Australia, in new ones. He cut wood, pruned Pacific; astronomy with special ry minor subjects.

San Francisco, August 4 .--Sweden and Crown Princess Louise will stop at Honolulu and procee from there to Japan for a visit of several weeks. They will tour China, stop at Manlla and prob-Rome. August 3.—Cardinal ably continue around the world by way of India.

The prize winners of the Hongtion. Cardinal Bonzano, the per kong party of the China Inland sonal envoy of Pope Pius XI to the Mission Schools of Chefoo were in Margaret Gaff, Dorothy Kick, Chicago, arrived at the Vatican to- Helen Smith, Mildred Oldfield, Ernest Oldfield, Billy Miller, Arthur Smith, Jack Davies, B. MacMillan, Josephine Cunningham, R. W. McRae, and Mrs. Smith wrote that there were 15 prizes between 11 children.

> Shanghai, August 7.—Mr. S. Kato, who was recently made a Japanese Consul and raised to the sixth degree in the service, will arrive in Shanghai next week to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Consul M. Kanazawa, who has been acting as judge of the Japanese Supreme Court in Shanghai. Mr. Kato, who has been ncting Japanese Consul in Amov, ne well as judge there, will be here only temporarily until a permanent successor to Judge Kanazawa is appointed.

During the past week the Kowloon Green Bowling Green Club has Consulate. He reported the affair had the pleasure of a visit from two New Zealand bowlers in Mesers Broad and McNeil, who hall from Invercargill, in Southland. They indulged in a rink game on two nights, and greatly enjoyed them- day. Change of air and environment, day, for whenever you may travel you selves. At the first time of asking bracing sea-breezes, rest and recreatively will find Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and tives of 17 countries, will meet on nights, and greatly enjoyed themthey naturally were feeling their tion, all are splendidly beneficial to the find also that they are immensely Pacific Scientific Conference which way but on Friday evening both study of scientific problems in the which neither need be ashamed. They have the innate enthusiasm sented are the United States, Eng. and keenness of every bowler you tention to odd jobs about the old land, Canada, China, France, the meet either in Australia or New Zealand, and now they have blazed Soviet Russia, Japan and the the trail we may expect to hear of repairing Lawailan Islands. The following a challenge from Hongkong to send out the subjects for discussion have been down a rink or two to Invercargill, decayed posts and putting approved—the oceanography of the Auckland, or Dunedin next year. Why not? Mr. Brond is accomthe apple trees, weeded the gar- ference to countries bordering on panied by Mrs. and Miss Broad, den and again visited the ceme the Pacific; various problems recand, with Mr. McNeil, the whole tery where he laid a bouquet garding movements of the earth party is enamoured of Hougkong. of sweet peas on the graves of and sun and about twenty other They leave on Wednesday on their return to New Zealand.

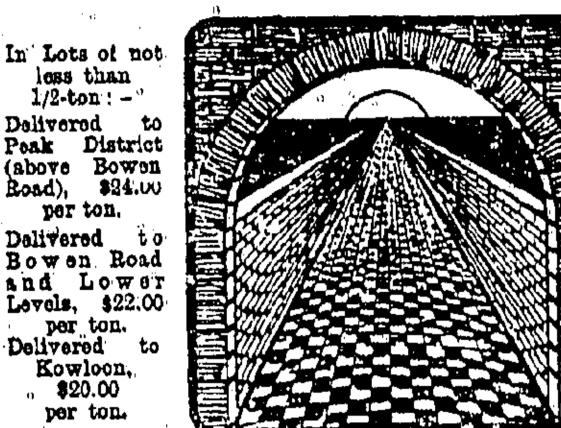
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SECTION

FIFTH TEST.

ENGLAND IN FAVOURABLE POSITION ..

FLUCTUATING FORTUNES,

Aussies 220 Runs Behind, But 6 Wkts, in Hand,

Even the most prejudiced cricket onthusiast will have to admit that ! the honours of the first day's play in the Fifth Test Match at the Oval

werë on England's side: At the present rate the game may be over in three days although there is nortime limit.

But anything may happen yet and Australia have nine batsmen who Can all make runs when pressed. When play is resumed to-day, the position will be: -England, 1st innings 280 runs? Australia, 1st unfings, 60 runs for 4 wickets, down -and to bat.

Fortunes vertainly fluctuated on Saturday. The first cable through said: "drying wicket," hence the prediction that surprises may come.

Features of Play, wickets, dozen-not too cheerful. Then came a change. For the loss of 2 more wickets, 105 runs were added, making the total 213. Then came a, collapse, the remaining 5 wickets going down for 67 runs. Mailey took 6 wickets and Grimmett shared the majority of the bowling with him. Sutcliffe and Chapman were England's best.

Bardsley and Macanthey, the most prolific scorers in the Australfan side, are both out. Has the "luck veered round again" two of the stonewall type remain in Woodfull and Collins; and Gregory Richardson and Oldfield can make runs. Mailey and Grimmett age

It is pleasing to see barwood take two useful wickets. In beating Macartney, Stevens is paving . the way towards a permanent place in the England XL Strudwick is | in brilliance on his own ground.

The Rival Teams. The teams that actually took the

field were :-4 England:-

Mr. A. P. F. Chapman (Kentcaptains Mr. G. T. S. Stevens (Middlesex), J. B. Hobbs (Surrey) W. Rhodes" (Yorks), F. E. Woolley (Kent), E. Hendren (Middlesex), If. Sutcliffe. (Yorks), M. W. Tate (Sussex), H. Larwood (Notts), G. Geary (Leicester), Hi Strudwick fore Geimmett, bowled (Surrey) and E. Tyldesley (Lancashire) as twelfth man. Australia: ---

Ponsford, W. A. Oldfield, C. V. the wicket off Mailey) for 28, Grimmett, A. A. Mailey, J. M. Gregory, A. J. Richardson.

Strudwick replaced Brown as stumper on England's side and J. S. Ryder was dropped from the twelve originally selected by Australia.

REUTER'S CABLES.

Extraordinary Interest.

London, August 44. Extraordinary Interest was cenred on the Fifth Test Match at

the Oval. The match commenced in glorious sunshine on a drying wicket. There were 10,000 spectators pre-

Chapman won the toss for Eng- were drawn. Five extras were land and sent in Hobbs and given, Scores:-Sutcliffe to open the innings against the bowling of Gregory and Grimmett. The batsmen started Hobbs, b Mailey

Nineteen runs were scored in the first half hour. Then Mailey relieved Grimmett, but Hobbs scored freely off the new bowler. Grimmett went on again in the place of Gregory, with the total at Rhodes, c Oldfield, b Mailey ... 28 "at 33. Gregory had given only 9 runs. in 7 overs.

Hobbs sent Grimmett to the leg Larwood, boundary, the half century being hoisted after 55 minutes play. Hobbs Dismissed.

In the next over Hobbs completemisjudged a full toss from Mailey and was bowled for 37, the first wicket falling" at 53, fiftyeight, minutes after the commencement 1-53-37.

Hobb's total included three fours. Sutcliffe was then 13. He was joined by Woolley, who, after scoring three boundaries off Mailey in one over, was bowled by Mailey on reaching forward to a fine length ball, 2-91-18.

Sutcliffe was then 40. Hendren · was next in but after making 8 played on to his wicket from Gregory. (3-108-8).

At the lunch interval the score H. L. Collins, not out was 108 for three wickets. After lunch, the attendance increased to eighteen thousand.

Our Skipper Cheered. Chapman joined Sutcliffe and avas ovated on his first appearance

AIR RACING.

PLANE'S SPEED OF 4 MILES A MINUTE.

TESTS NEAR LONDON

Rugby, Aug. 15. A racing aeroplane expected to show a speed of over four miles a minute is undergoing tests near Recreio.

racing engine which develops nearly 700 horse power and in design" resembles the Gloster-Napier seaplane which was entered in last year's Schneider. Cup Race.—British Wireless Service.

U.S. TENNIS.

Forrest Hills, August 15, In the annual lawn tennis tourna-Johnston 6-3, 4-6, 6-1, 6-1, This ment between the Eastern and Western states, Tilden is the first time the two have me since the final's of the national tournament last year -Reuter

Wills has decided not to defend ther England were 108 runs for 3 little in the national championships --- Reuter's American Service. as captain, In 15 minutes by scored 28 and sent up the 150 after 155 minutes' play. His driving

was cheered by the Sutcliffe was quieter. When he had scored 69. Chapman's score was 41. "Changes in the bowling were ineffective. Sixty-five runs were scored in an hour, of which Chapman made 40: Then going our for a vigorous drive,

he was "smartly stumped, by Oldfield off Mailey. 4-189-49. Chapman was at the wickets for 77 minutes and his total included five hours. He received an ovation for his spirited display,

England's Collapse.

A surprising collapse then followled: Stevens partnered Sutcliffe, but was dismissed (caught by Andrews) off Mailey) for 17 (5-243-17). Rhodes then came in and scored one run. Then Sutcliffe was hit in the face and was out, bowled by Mailey (6-214-78). Suteliffe had batted Gibson for 215 minutes... He Blayed a very Goodwin steady innings and hit only six

Geary joined Rhodes, and left at Abraham 231, run out (7-231-9). Tate was Tacchi next and saw the score to 266 be. Hill (84266-23). Larwood failed to Overy score (being caught by Andrews off Lammert Grimmett) 9-266-0.) Rhodes and Robinson H. L. Collins (captain), W. Strudwick added 14 and the whole Fraser Bardsley, C. G. Macartney, T. J. E. side was out at tea time for 280. Andrews, W. M. Woodfull, W. H. Rhodes being last out (caught at

'Australians' Turn.

After tea, Woodfull and Bardsley opened for Australia. The English bowling was magniacent, backed up by fine fielding.

With 9 on the board, Bardsley was out, brilliantly eaught by Strudwick, off Larwood's fast bowling (1-9-2).

Macartney went in. He was dismissed (played-on) by Stevens (2-44-25), after batting half an hour (2 fours).

Ponsford did not stay long; being run out by Strudwick's brilliance. (3-51-2)Next in was Andrews whose off-

stump was uprooted by Larwood after getting 3 (4-59-3). Woodfull's score was now 22, Skipper Collins went in and broke his "duck" with "a single, Lang bringing the 60 up before stumps Shields

" England—1st Innings.

carefully, both playing two maiden Sutcliffe, b Mailey 76 Hendren, b Gregory A. P. F. Chapman, St. Oldfield, G. T. S. Stevens, c Andrews, b Mailey 17 day Geary, run out Tate, b Grimmett

Grimmett

Strudwick, not out . Bowling Analysis.

c Andrews, - b

Runs Wickets. Grimmett 74 Macartney 16 Richardson 10 Australia-1st innings. W. M. Woodfull, not out

W. Bardsley, c Strudwick, b Larwood C. G. Macartney, b Stevens ... W. H. Ponsford, run out T. J. E. Andrews, b Larwood ...

Extras Total (for 4 wkts) i.... A. J. Richardson, J. M. Gregory, W. A. Oldfield, C. V. Grimmett and A. A. Mailey to bat.

JUNIOR BOWLS.

KOWLOON AND EAST POINT NOW LEAD.

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

Saturday's fussles in the junior division of the Lawn Bowle opened in Scotland. In division and East Point R.C. to the top. were:-East Point did exceptionally well to triumph at Taikoo; Kowloon had an easier task in facing the

The Yacht Club gained a credit-The machine has a direct drive able win over the Civil Service, and thereby improved their position in the table.

The game between the Indian Recreation Club and the Craigengower Club did not take place as the former were unable to raise a team. Results follow:-

congratulated on securing a win McKelvie at Taikoo by 24 shots. The score (Skip) .. 23 (Skip) .. 15 would probably have been very much higher only Grimes and his merry men successfully, held in On medical advice, Miss Helen | check the "redoubtable" Lee's.

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by 25 shots. Scores:—

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vice Club by 9 s	shots.
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Carpenter	Archibald "
Dixon	Knott
Edwards	Alderman
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Davies	Jones
Anderson	Rose
Tana	Thomas

Davies Allen (Skip) ..33

A very interesting and pleasant gept once when the losers were in when the 'Club' home" to the very unfortunate that none of

The scores are as follows:— K.D.R.C. Dundonians Fender Logan Chapman Simpson (Skip) ..21 Parks Lapsley .. McLeod.

HOME SOCCER.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE, 1ST

Cowdenbeath 0, Abordeen 0. Dundec 4, Hearts 1. Falkirk 1, Partick 1. Hamilton 2, St. Mirren 3, Hibernian 1. St. Johnston 5. Kilmarnock 2, Celtic 3, Morton 3, Dunfermline 0. Rangers 2, Dundee United 9,

Taikoo R.C. v. East Point R.C.

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Club de Recreio J. Ribeiro

R.H.K. Yacht Club v. Civil

Service C.C.

FRIENDLY GAMES.

Woolley, b Mailey 18 Kowloon Dock R.C. v. "Dundee."

"Dun to secure a souvenir. The the capable hands of Mr. Simpson, who is to be thanked for the that owing to a technical error,

being very acceptable. Cooper 🗼 👝 Johnston Duncan | R. Goodman

Lindsay Ramsay Ferguson Henderson Sword J. Clark

DIVISION.

SEASON BEGINS:

Queen's Park 1, Motherwell 2.

The East Point Club are to be

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Kowloon C.C. v. Club de Recreio.

The Cricket Club secured the verdict over the Club de Recreio

loon Dock Green on Satur- Department led by 3 shots, this donians" in the Colony. At the conclusion of the game spoons Smith o rinks by Mr. J. Ogg. It was Gregory the "Marmalade" teams managed afternoon's arrangements were in

London, August 14. The official soccer season has

Clyde 2, Airdriconians 1,

Goodman Reid

Chapman Hazel Total, ..56

Craigengower were at home to first division clubs, four rinks C.C. "C" team, playing at home in being played, the visitors com- their last match, beat the Hongprising two from Civil Service, kong C.C. 59-40. Scores:-one from the Police R.C. and one Lindsell and Abraham lost to .30 from Taikoo.

LEAGUE TABLES." The following are the positions

DIVISION I. P. W. D. L. P. Taikoo R.C. 10 8 0 Kowloon Dock . P. . . 10 Civil Service 10 Kowloon B.G. 10 2

in the League to date:-

Police R.C. 10 Shots for and Against.

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— Club de Recreio 12 3 1 8 Shots for and Against,

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Indian R.C. 489 691

Club de Recreio . 7 DEPARTMENT CUP. In the Government interdepartment Cup, the Prison Craigengower Department should have met the Taikoo 10 19 Public Works Department yesterday. The 'Prison' team were unlable to turn out on account of duty. This fixture will be decided on Sunday, August 22.

The Sanitary Department v. Revenue Department match (in the semi-final round) was accord- ship, by 4-6, 6-4, 7-5, 6-2. ingly put forward. Having defeated the Police in a previous round, the Sanitary Department won yesterday by one shot. The winners led throughout ex-

were advantage being reduced at the last head. Revenuo Beattie

Trengove : Watt (Skip) ..20, (Skip) ..19

next few days. INTERPORT TRIAL. It is requested that all those players who have signified their 15 possibility of being able to make

BASEBALL TOUR.

ARRIVAL OF THE FILIPINO

The All Star Filipino baseball players arrived from Manila today by the s.s. "Empress of Asia" League brought the Kowloon C.C. of the league, to-day's results and will be seen in action this afternoon, as announced elsewhere.

Personnel in the team and their playing positions are:---Bertulfo, Santos, Libaion, Tombo, and Gonzales (pitchers), Oncinian, C. Platon (catchers), Regis (first base), Ramas (second base), Bernales (third base), M. Platon (short stop), Francisco (left field), Montalbo (centre field), Rivera (right field). Substitute: Ylanan.

ger of the team, is accompanied, by his wife, and Mr. J. Sangle as his private secretary. The visitors will continue their voyage to Japan by the same ves-

Beat Smith and Mason :.... Beat Prior and Hugh Jones .. 8- 3

Lecot and Atkins bent Watson and Garrard 9- 2 Beat Prior and Hugh Jones Purves and Lyal beat Watson

K.C.C. 59; H.F.C.C. 40.

The Championship in all the o divisions has been already won by League tables below show the

LEAGUE TABLES.

Division A.

Division B.

University Hongkong C.C. ..10 o Craigengower Indian R.C. Kowloon C.C. ... 10 o United Services o Civil Service 6 Club de Recreio 8 0 117 Netherlands T.C. 9

Kowloon C.C. . . 10 Hongkong C.C.

LATEST U.S. TENNIS. Rye (N.Y.), August 15. Tilden bent Vincent Richards, 8 thus winning the southern New T York state lawn tennis champion- U

DOUBLES & SPEY CUP.

It has been officially notified very pleasant time spent by all, the open doubles Championship the "Forfar bridies" especially has had to be re-drawn. Secretaries of Clubs are, therefore, asked to destroy the cards already sent. The new draw, together with the draw for the Spey Royal Cup competition, will be forwarded to all Clubs within the

> the trip to Shanghal in the coming Interport games there, will turn up at the Kowloon Bowling Green at 8.30 p.m. on Saturday, 18 August 21, for a trial game.

STARS.

Mr. Mariano Sangle; the mana-

LEAGUE TENNIS. HONGKONG C.C. LOSE TO

sel on Thursday.

KOWLOON. Only one league tennis match was played on Saturday. The Kowloon

Watson and Garrard 5- 6

Beat Smith and Mason 10- 1 Lost to Smith and Mason ... 4-Lost to Prior and Hugh Jones 3-

., o the Chinese R.C. 21 position and the matches so far 0 77 [completed.

3 18 Chinese R.C. 0 7 g University 6 7 Hongkong C.C. . . 6 Chinese R.C. 9 M.B.K.10

Division C. Chinese R.C. . . . 10

Mrs. Mallory beat Miss Browne in the women's championship by W 6-3, 4-6, 6-3,-Reuter's American



Cardinal Belg y Casunova, of Spain, a delegate to the recent Encharistic Congress.

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Joseph Heland, of Calumet Island. Quebeco recently celebrated his 109th birthday. He is in sound health.



Senator Richard R. Ernst, of Kentucky, is shown with his Bill, the largest ever introduced in Congress. It codifies the existing laws and contains more than 1,700 pages.



Pauline Dell was declared spelling champion when she won the finals of a mational contest in Washington.

She attends a small mountain school.



Mile. Suzanne Lenglen, after her illness which caused her to retire from the Wimbledon tennis championships.



John F. Howard (72), "saladdressing king," was accused of having another woman impersonate his wife so that he could obtain a Mexican divorce.



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President Calles, of Mexico, whose religious laws have led to a serious feed. Senator J. W. Harreld, of Oklahoma, attacked the Department of Justice's policy of trying Federal prisoners in States other than home. The arrest of three men in Paris is believed to have averted an attack on the life of King Alfonso, of Spain. Senator Frank B. Willis, of Ohio, threatened to oppose the Rivers and Harbours Bill,

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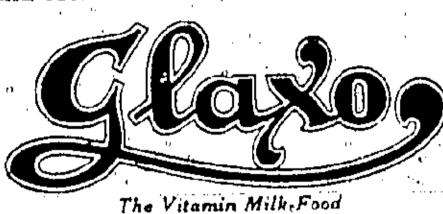






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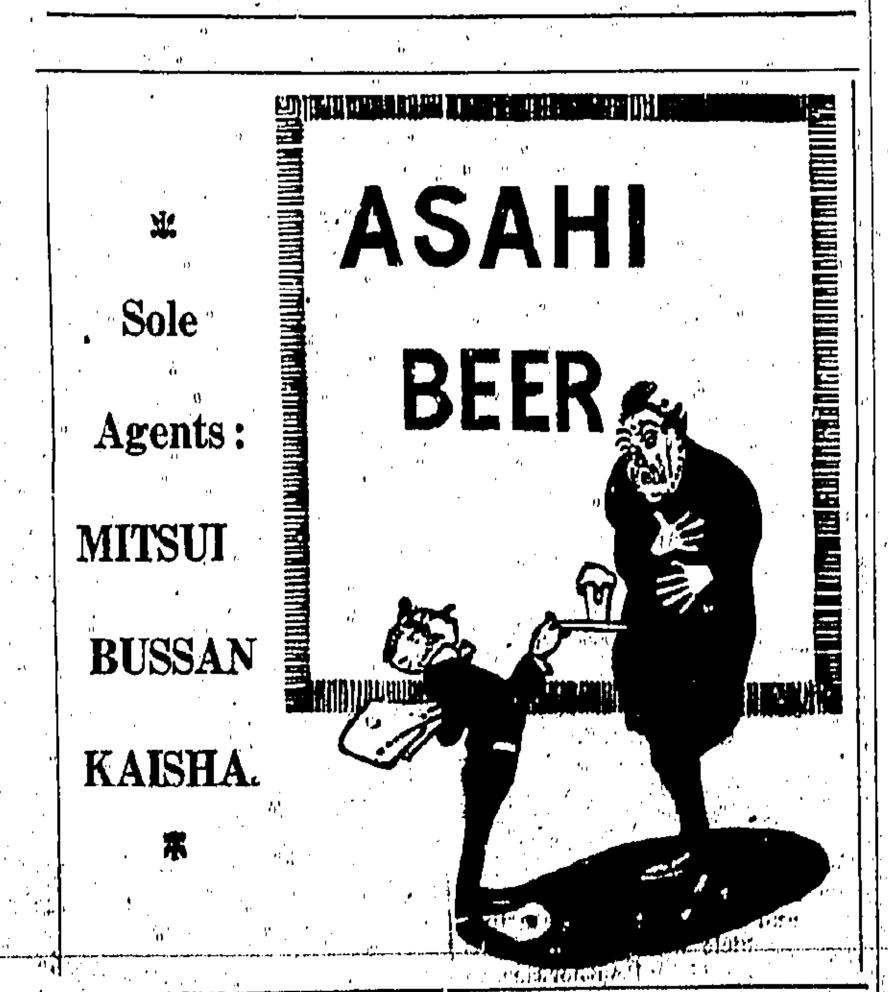
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above). Thermometer reading. (d.) Wind direction and force.

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(f.) State of "weather." (in plain ment of the brightest. language) fine meaning 0 to 3 of cloud; fair 4 to 6 of cloud; cloudy 7 or 8; overcast 9 or 10,

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ed SI, shall be affixed to a message the success of the evening. form SI in such "a manner as not to cover the space reserved for service instructions and other data. 10. A special watch on the 600 d'Aguillar for ships calling with these messages from 0315 to 0345. 0615, to 0645, 0945 to 0945, and 2215 to 2245, G.M.T. or until all meteorological messages are cleared.

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SUN'S PHASES.

Calendar for August.

Sunrise and Sunset in Hongkong for August, 1926. "Standard Time of the 120th Meridian, East of

Greenwich).		•
Date.	Sunrise	Sunset
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. 28		6.44
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30		6.43
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OPEN-AIR CONCERT.

SUCCESSFUL EVENING, AT K.C.C.

LARGE ATTENDANCE.

There was a large attendance on Saturday night at the Kowloon Cricket Club when an excellent open air concert was given by local artistes. The weather was on its best behaviour and the entertain-

It was a disappointment that Madame H. M. Vallarino was unable to be present as many were looking forward to her operatic selections but the members of the Imperial Concert," party, stepped into the Breach and the programme went with a swing.

Mrs. F. E. Lawrence captivated the audience, as usual, with her ine soprano voice and Miss Gaubert's item proved very popular. Mr. J., C. Lyal also contributed some plensing numbers. The lighter element was well sus-They shall be communicated to tained by Mr. Oscar Eager, Mr. Victor Blundell and Mr. Grenham. An appreciated item, was the saxophone duet by Mr. H. Duncan

Others taking part in the pro-8. All messages shall be treated gramme were Mrs. R. Pestonji. D'Almada (accompanists), Miss 9. Reports handed in for trans- Audrey Steel, and, last but not mission written on any form other least, the Lyric Orchestra whose than on the message form number- litems contributed materially to

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U.S. DEFENCE PROGRAMME. Washington, August 3.- Hanford

MacNider, assistant's secretary of war, in an article written for the "United Press" on the occusion of the 12th anniversary of the beginning of the World War, said that the present defence programms of the United States was far more comprehensive than it was in 1914.

He hoped that the application of science to military operations mightserve to maintain peace or conserve man-power in case of war but "war is the instrumentality which determines the security of a nation and the index of that security may be found in the hearts of its citizen." -"United Press."

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NANKOU PASS.

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TROOPS.

OFFICIAL REPORT.

The Fengtienites captured

Nankou Pass this morning:

according to an official re-

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Pekings is beflagged this

evening in consequence of the

report of the fall of Nankou

Pass, but hitherto no details.

that the Allies were progress-

ing, their wings threatening

to cut off the Kuominchun

defenders of the Pass.—

CHANG'S PLANS.

AN ATTACK THROUGH

KIANGSI.

ive source that Chang Kai-shek

and Tang Seng-chi held a "con-

ference at Hengehow on August 10

and plans were adiscussed for the

campaign against Hupeh. Chang

is reported to have decided against

any attack on the "Wuhah cities

It is considered that Tang's

attack from Hupeh. Meantime the

Kiangsi. Should the Kiangsi inva-

sion; be successful an attack will be

Chang has now established his

permanent military headquarters

UNDER FIRE.

BRITISH SAILOR'S NARROW

ESCAPE.

Delayed reports from up-river

state that H.M.S. Woodlark, while

Changsha, was fired at by Tang

Seng-chi's troops on the 10th

The Woodlark did not return

the fire. There were no casual-

ties; but a bullet passed through

Changsha the matter was report-

ed to the Admiral, who demanded

an apology from the Governor,

which, it is stated, was shortly

CAPE TO CAIRO.

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Rugby, August 15.

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After the Woodlark's arrival at

Hankow, Aug. 15.

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launched on Hupeh.

at Hengchow.-Reuter.

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a sailor's helmet.

Hankow, Aug. 12.

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have come through.

Peking, Aug. 4.

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Mistress: "Did you notice how my husband went off to work this MADAME FLINT, morning whistling?"

Maid: "Yes ma'am, it was my fault. I made his cereal of bird-

IN FULL SWING.

MINES IN WEST MIDLAND

COOK DISREGARDED.

London, Aug. 14. Work has resumed at all the About five o'clock in the mornng an earthquake shock; sub- collieries in the West-Midland erranean rumblings for some area, most of the pits being in full seconds, and in certain places the swing at an eight hours' day. of buildings, were ex- Seventy per cent, of the men perienced in Radnorshire,— disregarded the advice of Mr. where the people in one town Cook, who recently visited the rushed into the streets-Shrop- area.

All are expected to return next | creased.-Reuter. shire, Berkshire, and North week. Ruhr Trade Booming.

> Berlin, Aug. 14. The Ruhr trade is booming and the Rhenish and Westphalian industrialists are of opinion that a speedy termination of the British miners' strike will not immediately affect the position, especially in view of the "technical supremacy and superior organisation of the Ruhr, also the new Continental steel agreement and the cessation

of Franco-Belgian dumping com-

petition. The demand for household coal in Great Britain and Germany cannot be satisfied owing to increasing commercial requirements at home and abroad. Record shipments of Ruhr coal in Great Britain are expected for at least three months after the strike ends, as all stores in Britain are exhausted to the safety of bunker demands.—Reuter.

Restrained Optimism.

Rugby, Aug. 15. The forthcoming week is generally expected to see some developments in the coal situation, and the tone of the speeches made by the miners' leaders during the last few days has given rise to a feeling of restrained optimism among the public.. It is reported from an authorita-

Although it is likely that opinion will be divided, and that certain cross-currents will manifest themselves, it is expected that the meeting of the miners' delegates, which assembles to-morrow, will empower the men's leaders to negotiate within certain limits for the best terms available. This does not necessarily mean

that progress will then be straight-

forward and smooth, but if the anticipated overtures eventuate the Government will be prepared to arrange a fresh joint conference between the owners and men and to keep in touch with the parties during the negotiations. Although obviously desiring a resumption of the conversations the men's leaders maintain their opposition to the eight-hours day, whilst the owners declare that re- less Service.

MIXED COURT.

MEETING OF DIPLOMATIC

PROSPECTS GOOD.

Peking, Aug. 13. Whilst no official statement is obtainable regarding the results of the meeting of the Diplomatic Body yesterday, it is understood that an important" decision was reached whereby the prospect of the fundition of the Shanghai Mixed Court is considerably in

CAPT. BETTS.

SEQUEL TO CAPTURE BY BANDITS.

CLAIM SETTLED.

Peking, Aug. 14. Tang Chi-yao has paid Captain Betts \$1,000 in full settlement of his claim for the loss of hisequipment and personal effects in the hands of bandits last May.

HELD FOR RANSOM.

FATE OF ANOTHER A.P.C. EMPLOYEE. .

-Hankow, August 14: J. W. Moore, installation manager of the Asiatic Petroleum. Company of Changsha, was taken by bandits on the morning of the 13th instant, and later a demand for \$40,000 was sent in to the company's Changsha office, otherwise the captors threatenedo to kill Moore by noon to-day, Urgent representations are being made to the Changsha authorities of the British Consul.—Reuter.

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London, August 15. As an economy measure the Post Office has entered into a contract estimated to produce £250,000 yearly, whereby advertisements relating to "commerce, municipalities hospitals and societies will be embodied in post marks placed on all letters.-British Wireless Service.

sumed negotiations could only succeed if the miners are prepared to face the economic facts of their industry.—British Wire-

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THE CONSUL AT HARBIN ILL-TREATED.

LEGATION MOVES.

Peking, Aug. 14. The American Legation has protested to the Wai-Chiac-Pu regarding the recent ill-treatment the Consul at Harbin.-Router.

"SAMPLES."

BRITISH BUS TO TOUR CONTINENT.

Rugby, Aug. 15. top omnibuses left London yesterday for the Continent on an extensive tour through Leipsig, Budspest, and other cities. The utility of the vehicle will be demonstrated to the municipal authorities en route. British Wireless Service.

COBHAM'S FLIGHT.

Melbourne, Aug. 15. Alan Cobham has arrived here thereby completing the first half of his flight.-Reuter. Enthusiastic Reception.

Rugby, Aug. 15. Mr. Aldan Cobham completed

the flight from London to Melbourne this afternoon. A Great crowd, estimated at nearly 100,-000 people, gave him an enthusinstic reception when he arrived accompanied by an escort of fifteen Australian aeroplanes.

The British Air Secretary has sent him cablegram congratulating him on the successful completion of his outward journey and wishing him all success on his homeward flight from Aus-One of London's new covered tralia to Great Britain.—British Wireless Service.

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